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TELEGRAMS.

THE WAR.

GREEKS' PLUCKY ATTACK.

Reuter's

[Service to the "Telegraph."] London, December 16.

From details received from Turks were strongly entrenched, ling their instructions not to meet and were supported by 30 guns: the Greeks. Ascending the steep slopes in face | The meetings of the Ambassa. a few minutes, but the attacking morrow. force pressed on undaunted. Fierce hand-to-hand fighting in the trenches followed. the Turks finally retiring. The Greeks captured seven heavy guns.

A message from Athens states the Greeks on Saturday occupied Paramythia, to the south-east of Janina, after desperate battle which hated throughout the day.

### AMERICAN RAILWAY ROBBERS.

Train Stopped By Burning A Trestle Bridge.

held up a south-bound Missouri, agreement is finally attained, th Kansas, and Texas train south of ferms will be felegraphed to Lon Eufaula: They compelled the en- dou, for consideration by the baggage cars and run them ahead, to be held in London on Friday. and then rifled the express safe

to a halt. Although the flames own resources, at a time when the threatened to destroy the treatle brfore their work was accomplished | deeply overcast. the robbers moved deliberately: Covering the engineer and fire man with their revolvers they ordered them from the locomotive cab. P. A. Dolan, the train's conductor, leaped from a coach, and he was lined up beside the enginemen. A porter also fell a victim to his curiosity, and was made to stand beside the conductor.

of employees the other two un- fancy the prospect of putting out coupled the engine, baggage, so much ready cash pending the and express cars from the coaches. time when the money markets into the cab and ordered the China bonds. engineer to open the throttle The locomotive, pulling the two What remained of the structure China, the Sextuple Group mu t the brink of the stream.

Halfa mile on the other side of the bridge the bandits ordered the engineer to stop. safe in the express car was dynamited and ransacked. Their work completed, the robbers fled to the wood covered hills with their plunder. The alarm was gron given, and posses were sent from Crowder and Enfaula. Other posse lef: an hour later on special trains from McAlester and

Muskogee. ages of currency. Posse men tained. found the outer wrapper of one of these packages which had contained \$3,500, and was consigned by the South-western National Bank of Commerce of Kansas City to the National Bank of

Greenville, Tex ductor J. A. Dolan turn over his The merchants have promised tried on October 16, says the papers and purse, which contain- not to import any more of the "Manila Times," before Supreme turned back to the conductor are exhausted. Officials are now nounced that he would grant a Shell Company, on being asked me off "-while "Une Fille du to be removed until he got the ment he was again convicted. with the assurance. We don't taking stock of the quantities at decree to Mrs. Lily James Lee in if the report from San Francisco Regent is characterised as papers from his friend. wish harm to any of you train present held.—"Central China her sotion against Loe Hoo Soon, was true, with harm to any of you train present held.—"Central China her sotion against Loe Hoo Soon, was true, with harm to any of you train present held.—"Central China her sotion against Loe Hoo Soon, was true, with harm to any of you train present held.—"Central China her sotion against Loe Hoo Soon, was true, with her sotion against Loe Hoo Soon, was true, with her sotion against Loe Hoo Soon, was true, with held.—"Central China her sotion against Loe Hoo Soon, was true, with held.—"Central China her sotion against Loe Hoo Soon, was true, with held.—"Central China her sotion against Loe Hoo Soon, was true, with held.—"Central China her sotion against Loe Hoo Soon, was true, which he had not concluded of the same Royal Dukes but one boys.

PEACE CONFERENCE.

TELEGRAMS.

TURKEY'S NEW ATTITUDE.

Reuter's "

[Service to the "Tolograph."] London, December 16.

The Porte has telegraphed to-Actornohon it appears that the the delegates in London cancell-

of a fierce fire, 200 Greeks fell in dors are expected to begin to-

SIX POWER LOAN.

A Definite Agreement Impending.

Peking, Dec. 9.—In spite of the oyster-like demeanour of the |Sextuple Group during the last three weeks, it transpires, writes a "N. Ohina Daily News" correspondent, that the general outlines of an agreement upon terms of a loan of £25,000,000, have been reached with the Finance Minister, and have been submitted to the Legations concerned.

It is understood that objection is likely to be raised by some Ministers on certain points, which will necessitate further negotia Three youthful robbers have tion with the Clinese. When an gineer to detach the express and bankers conference, at a meeting

Although the conditions of the Company officials believe the rob- proposed loan have not been dis bers got several thousand dollars, closed, it is obvious that large ad The "New York Evening Post" vances are required immediately thus describes how it was done: - by the Chinese Government and Desetting fire to a trestle near that the principals in the groupno trouble in flagging the train of financing Chica out of their political outlook in Europe is

Loan May be Deferred.

Even though the greater "danger of an important war may lisappear, there remains the certainty that the Balkan States. Turkey and Italy must be heavy borrowers in the near future. The flotation of a large loan for China in these circumstances may have While one robber held the line period, and the consortium cannot

isactually obtained. The Crisp Loan.

Hankow Merchauts and Oplum. Chinese Divorce in New York.

has come to an agreement with York country in which both deal may be an outcome of the One of the robbers made Con- the opium merchants Hankow parties were full Chinese was

TELEGRAMS.

THE CHINESE LOAN.

SATISFACTORY PROGRESS.

- Reuter's [Service to the "Telegraph."]

London, December 16. The "Standard" says that the Six-Power Group again met on Saturday, and unanimously decided that subject to a modification in the details, the proposals day. ifforded a suitable dasis for

negotiations.

THE LAW OF PUBLIC COMPANIES.

The question of amending the law relating to public companies has been discussed at a meeting of the directors of the Glasgow Chamber of Commerce in connection with a remit to consider and inquire into the subject. Mr. J 1). Hedderwick said it was of the greatest importance to the community that the law should be so minended as to enable a public prosecutor or a member of the community with little expense to himself to bring about a close examination of the affairs of companies that came to an untimely end, in order that where there had been misdirection or wrongful dealing the parties involved should be brought to book. Mr John A. Spens said that on the particular point Mr. Hedderwick had raised be believed it would not be difficult to suggest n remedy, but the remit was 'on further the directors should for coastal work in Inde Ching. receive some indication of the

### ONE OF A CORONER'S SADDEST CASES.

Mr. J. Parker, the Lancashire country coroner, held an in- Majesty's pleasure is known. quest in the Preston Infirmary on a child whose case, he said was one of the saddest cases he had ever had to deal with to be deferred for an indefinite The child Catherine Barwise, twelve years, of .14; Golborne Street, died in that institution from the effect of burns. It was stated that she overslept herself. They then forced the trainmen will be favourable to the issue of and her father, who is totally blind said, "Never mind, Kate. You While it is satisfactory to re- have a good breakfast"; but she cord that agreement as to prin- cleaned her cloge, fed the dog: cars shotcross the burning bridge | ciples has been reached with | left her breakfast, and ran the way to the school. fell into the water a minute after have observed a number of ob - She afterwards complained of the cars had passed. The passen- tacles yet to be overcome before illness, but made necomplaints of ger coaches were left standing at the required financial assistance her parents. She was advised by a neighbour to tell her mother; but she said, "She has enough according to Reuter's correspon-As regards Article XIV. Mr. trouble already." At dinner-time dent, announces that the the Birch Crisp's agent here, Major her father asked her to stay at Shell interests of London, headed saving qualities of the seaman." land, at the Police Court this Barnes, has full power to con- home, but she said: "No. I by Sir Marcus Samuel, have comclude on arrangement with the am nearly thirteen. I don't want pleted a deal for the taking over Thinese and has been negotiating to miss my mark, and I want to of the Union Oil Company and the purest ray. fir some time with a view to ob- go and work for my mother." the outputs of the General Petroin exchange for the cancellation had a fit of dizziness and fellon the producers. The deal involves teresting series of annotations to found there and nowhere else. taining monetary compensation The following morning the child leum Company, and independent of the second portion of the Crisp kitchen fire, and her clothes were £1,000,000. loan agreement. The amount of set on fire. Her blind father the compensation, however, gives attempted to put the flames out rise to differences of opinion. Be- with his overcost, but he was un- Shell Transport and Trading, a lively fellow." Of the "Tour moving twenty bales of paper he ordered to pay damages of \$150." According to the descriptions sides which, the Chinese are not, successful, and before he could given, each of the bandits was presumably, desirous of foregoing summon a neighbour the girl was less than 25 years old. Eye-wit- the leverage which they suppose badly burnt. The father had nesses say they saw one of the Article XIV. given them in been prostrated since the accident, robbers make two trips from the dealing with the Sextuple Group and was unfit to attend the inexpress safe, each time with his until complete agreement as quest. The jury returned arms piled high with sealed pack- regards conditions has been at verdict of accidental death, and passed a vote of sympathy with the parents.

> The Opium Suppresion Bureau The first divorce suit in New who keeps a restaurant

NEWS FOR BUSY MEN.

TELEGRAMS.

THE NEWS CONDENSED.

The Conference of Ambassadors is expected to meet in London

Greeks cccupied Paramythia, the space of a few pragraphs; south-west of Janina, on Satur- is hard to resist the decre

The Six Power Group bas approved the proposals advanced for a Chineza Lean as being a suitable basis for negotiation.

The Poite has can slled the instructions to the Terkish delegates not to meet the Greek delegates in the Peace Conference.

Alter courag ougly feeing fierce fire from the Turks at Actoraction, the Greaks drove the enomy from the trenches by fierce hand to hand fighting.

'A meeting of the Sanitary Board was held this afternoon. The business was light.

The police report that some parts of the Colony are still in a very disturbed state. Missile throwing has been ronewed. .

Some French gentlemen are wide. It was decided that be-Istaying in Hongkong with a view fore dealing with the subject to purchasing a passenger boat

> lative Council, printed cleawhore, wy note." include the new Bill to deal with boycotts.

The trial of Ibrahim for the Shameen murder was concluded yesterday. Sentence of death was passed, but will stayed until His

Wilson of U. S. S. Wilmington. which is dispiriting to the last Gaol

afternoon in the case in which an ing as "the local celebrity. dispute over a partnership between two building contractors.

### REPORTED OIL DEAL.

The "San Francisco Chronicle,

The Company of which Sir Marcus Samuel is chairman is the which has a subscribed capital of £4,250,000. It was formed 1007, it has had amalgamated leum Company. For 1909, and of 224 per cent, but since then its profits have been reduced by a severe rate outling competition into which it entered with the American Standard Oil Trust It is suggested that the present have been taken against the Standard Oil.

THE BOOK WORLD.

More Stevensonlana,

All Stevensonians will be grate ful that a change of residence, with its attradant horrors searching through old preers, has caused Sir Sidney Colvin to discover some hithorto unpublished letters and fragments of "INI S. These are published in the current "Sor!bner's." It is very difficult After a desperate battle, the to deal with this new glear ng in quote and quote until one has BIABB PUR ARIDIA

The fit item in order of publication, says the "Globe," is a little prose pom, "A Sammer Night," one of a series inspired by the study of Baudelaire. No fragment of Stevenson's but reveale the artist in happy phraces, the mer vellously successful seeker after the mot justs, and this sketch bristles with pregnant sentences, suggestive alike to the eye and to the mind. Two may be give hern:-"T. ariaht wind sea. c and where congathe vacan stilet; the "leaves go shipping along the pavement with a looss, uneasy noise"; "And dutie. awoke with the birds," the last reminiscent of a wonderful phrase

in "Weir of Hermiston." Sir Sidney prints for the first time two letters to Sir Walter Simpson, the "Cigarette" of the tle 3. R.L.S. incidentally expresses his wonder what his cor-

half ast nine there came a prick were quickly run to earth. degree." The same letter express Argument was continued this contains an account of his figurinjunction is being sought in a langed about the deck by a dim-

| inutive Hebrew with a kodak, the full; it is an epistolary gem of

In regard to "Antony" he writes: anyone in his broker's business. Walter was convicted at the de Nesle" his opinion is "Well, would be paid \$3. Walter was just the man to get

Dumns' "Intrigue et Amour," an adaptation of "Kahal und Liobe," evidently pleased Stevencon greatly. "By the Lord Mr. Schiller, you are the man; as I have never read the original, I can do no more than cry: Bravo! that is the way to make a play after all. No wandering : straight

rips with excellent detail.' But we must make an end after just one more quotation, criticism of "La Tour Jaques": "It smells and tastes of rawdust; it is worn to thread. I have read two acts and O! suffer me to read no more. comedy company." That gentence gives one more idea of the piece than a column of ordinary dramatic criticism.

### A DARING ESCAPE.

confined in Sinza Polica Station | private concerns of the newspaper made a daring duch for liberty. which he made the first in the All four were successful in gett- world, partly by the fact that the ing out of bounds, but before modern "obituary notice" was many minutes had passed two a very rare phonomenon in the were recaptured. The other two newspaper of those bygone days. are still at large, says the "N. But we cannot allow the hun-China Daily News."

"Kidnapped":-"I have been street, but immediately the hue himself. saving my hand as much as and cry was raised, and the blowpossible for Davy Balfour; only ing of whistles warned all the January 1, 1785, almost by acthis morning I was getting on constables patrolling the district. cident; for Walter had never first rate with him, when about By this means two of the four been either printer, publisher, or

in the middle of the ball of my Two of the men were being de- bankruptcy, and after vainly

### THE COCAINE CASE.

The case in which a Chinese is click of which kept time to my charged with being in unlawful progress like a pair of castanets, possession of 1,000 ounces of and filled up in the captain's cocaine, and is defended by Mr. room on iced champagne at 8.30 | Marcus Slade, K C., instructed by of God's morning. The captain Mr. Lewis, of Mesers. Johnson in question . . . is a great Stokes and Master, and prosecutcharacter, like the side of a ed by Mr. P. M. Hodgson, the more celebrated and more sucbonse and the green-room of Assistant Crown Solicitor was a music hall, but with all the again brought before Mr. Haze-

Defendant said his family house was at Lower Lascar Row. The concluding portion of this By Mr. Hodgson; If he was nitate." He had well earned the trouvaille is an exceedingly in wanted on business he could be case for which he craved. the plays of the Elder Dumas He was not in partnership with after The Times was founded, Antony is psychologically false, He did not do a big business. Guildhall for a libel, at the suit but dramatically he is a devil of On a transaction like this of re- of Lord Loughborough, and

you know, that is how to do it. The man for whom he was work- into conflict with the law of in 1897, and since January 1. I defy the world to lick that ing as a broker lived at 40, Des those days by nothing worse than melodrama." His enthusiasm for Voux Road Central, but owing to an outspoken independence. In with it the Royal Duich Petro. "Paul "Jones" is considerably the landlord asking for the house 1789 The "Times" appears to less, and he is moved to the fol- he then left and lived at the Tai have said that the rejoicing of the again for 1910, it paid a dividend lowing somewhat Elizabethan On boarding house, and later Dukes of York, Clarence, and criticism: "Poor John Paul, to went back to Canton. This was Cumberland at the King's rehave come to this; for where will after handing him the documents covery was insincere. For this you find me in all literature such of delivery from Holt's godowns, Walter was prosecuted for a libel a dreary bitch?" Nor was and after defendant had been by the Dake of York, and he was "Mademoiselle de Belle-Isle" one arrested. His friend gave him the this time condenned to pay a of his favourites: "This play is delivery papers or bill of lading fine of £50 to undergo a year's a kind of confidence trick." After on the 15th ult at noon. He had imprisonment in Newgate, to three attempts to read through it, not been making enquiries con- stand in the pillory for an hour, he confesses he could never get cerning the contents of the and to give recognizances for o the end of "La Reine Margot" bill previous to the 15th good behaviour for seven A managing director of the some special distaste chokes He knew nothing about what was years. During his imprison-

THE FOUNDER OF "THE TIMES."

The First John Walter.

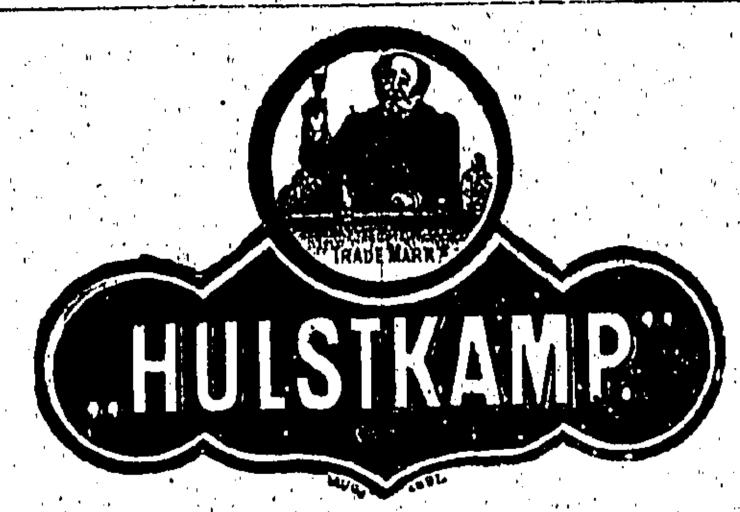
"On Monday at Teddington, in

the 74th year of his age, John Walter, Esq." This bald and to the merk like a bullet, and yet formal announcement, hidden away among other notices of deaths in a corner of The 'Times' of November 18, 1812, was the only mention made by this journal of its founder at the time of his death. No tribute of But I should dearly enjoy seeing appreciation or commemoration it very badly acted by a local was paid to him, such as was duly paid to his several successors in the position of chief proprietor of The Times. The omission may perhaps benecounted for partly by the involute secrecy in which it was the fixed policy of his second son, On the 11th just, four prisoners and successor, to enshroud all the dredth anniversary of the death Throut break occurred at of the founder of The "Times." about a quarter to five o'clock, to pass without making some when the customary inspection attempt to supply the omisof the colls was being made sion. John Walter was these cells open upon the station no ordinary man. His career "Inland Voyage." In the first of compound, some twenty or thirty was a veritable romance. Sucyards from the gate, and they are cessively merchant, underwriter, provided with a heavy i on grat- bankrupt, printer, publisher, and respondent does without regular ing in which is est the door. At bookseller, and withal a bold and habits of work. "I am capable of the time mentioned, the morning persistent, albeit unsuccessful, only two theories of existence; the inspection of the cells was being innovator in the art of printing, industrious worker's, the spreest- made by a foreign 1 bliceman. he finally became the founder, in or's; all before seems blank to P. C. Shapland, accompanied by circumstanaces the most adverse. me" Hoca nues, "My there is a Chinese constable, when the and discouraging, of a journal. a gloomy state, and has the yellow former was assaulted, rendered which even at the time of his flag at the reak, or the fore, or hors-de combat for the moment, death was without a rival. He wherever it should be; and he has giving the prisoners a chance to lived from first to last a life of just emptied some melancholy escape. When he had entered strenuous enterprise and unceasvials on me; I am also, by way of labe cell one of the men struck ling adventure. He founded "The specific points which it was in .- The orders for the day for change spitting blood. This some | 18m a violent blow in the pit of Times" at the age of 46, when tended they should report upon. Thursday's meeting of the Logis- what clouds the termination of the stomach with a bed plank, with a wife and six children to and then the four bolted through support, he had already made a In the letter to Colvin, there the door and out at the gate fortune and lost it, in circumis the following reference to They set off hot foot along the stances entirely honourable to "The Times" was founded on

> journalist. It was only after his thumb, and I had to take to the lained in the station under re- seeking an official situation under This morning in the Summary left hand and two words a minute. | mand from the Mixed Court, Government, that he found a vent Court a claim was made by the I fear I slightly exaggerate the while the two others had been for his irrepressible energies in Victoria Boarding House to speed of my left hand, about a sentenced, and were awaiting the development and strenuous recover \$36.25 from George word and a half in the minute- transportation to the Municipal advocacy of what be regarded as an invaluable improvement in the art of printing, which he had purchased from one Henry Johnson, its original inventor. The Times for ten years provided him with abundant opportunities for fightling and enduring on its behalf. At the end of that time he gave up its management to his eldest son—to be succeeded finally retired to the house at Teddington in which he died. "intending," as he records himself, "to enjoy the few years 1 have to live in otium oum dig-

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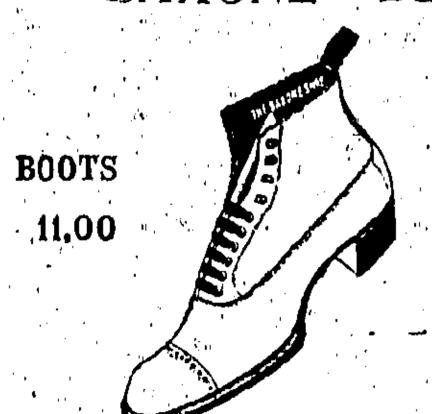
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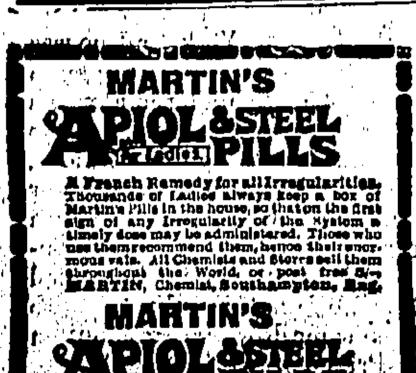
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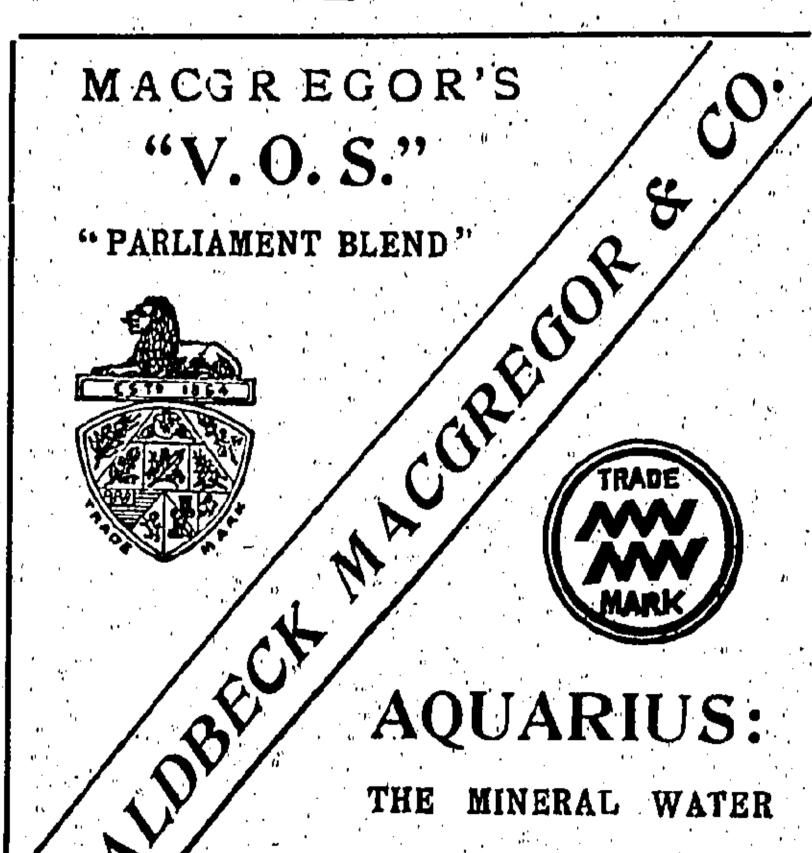
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### CONTEMPORARIES.

South China Morning Post

Female Suffrage. Both sides appear to lave got themselves into a sort of vicious circle. The authorities probably scel that to grant the demands of the suffragettes now would be to display weakness and to furnish a dangerous precedent for tho future employment of lawless methods, while the women apparently are in no mood to discontinue their campaign without some satisfactory assurance that these demands will be granted. It is a pity that some sert of compromise cannot be arranged between the two sides, the authorities furnishing a tacit plodge to legislate in the direction desired after the stoppage of suffragette outrages for a specified term; most emphatically persons who are prepared to suffer so much for the vote cannor regard it lightly and would probably make use of it more conscientiously than many a lordly male.

China Mail.

#### The Tramway Boycott.

In the circumstances it is no easy matter to get at the root of the mischief, but we believe that if the operations of certain Chinese guilds could be better understood, some light might be thrown upon the subject. The Government, we are glad to see, are taking active steps to overcome the trouble, and we heartily congratulate them upon the Ordinance they propose to enact. In the opinion of some, certain of All along, the Government\_were determined to stand by the Tramway Company, and now that the time is ripe for action on their assistance to be rendered is to be ... given in no half-hearted manner.

Daily Press.

### The Tramway Boycott

Go where you will in this extensive region of approximately 200,000 square miles, embracing a population of something like fifty millions, and you will find the Hongkong ten-cent piece used in preference to the Canton coin of the same denomination. These are facts which cannot be controverted: they are within the experience of every business man who trades in these regions, and it will thus be seen that the present attempt of the Chinese to prevent the same conditions obtaining in the British Colony, for whose use these coins were manufactured, is an amazing exhibition of impertinence. In any circumstances—and especially in the circumstances we have outlined—it cannot appear at all unreasonable that a British firm, or any other firm doing business lin this Colony, should demand to be raid in the legal currency of the Colonr. The facts we have quoted show the bollowness of the Chinese protest, and afford ample justification for the drastic action the Colonial Government propose to take against the expression of that protest by a boycott

Dr. Sun at Hangchow. The Hangehow correspondent of the "N China Daily News" writes on December 9 :- Dr. Sun Yat-sen arrived here yesterday and received a grand ovation. The platform was lined with officials and representatives of the various societes here, of which there are are now many from the Kohmingtong to the Red Cross. The crowd outside the station was immense, at least 10,000, and the streets were lined with soldiers, many of whom were mounted. The expression of popular applause was everywhere in evidence and flags, banners, and triumphal arches diversified the route. Dr. Sun, the Tutuh and others are at present enjoying themselves on the lake. afternoon Dr. Sun addresses a big. meeting at the old Emperors

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Japanese Fishermen in Canada. As the result of a conference between Mr. Bowser, the Attor- were held over yesterday on acney-tleneral of British Columbia, count of pressure of advertiseand Mr. Hazen, the Minister of ments on our space: Marine, it has been decided to Kowloon v. Hongkong Club "A" introduce new fishing regulations This League match was played to give preference to white fisher- at Kowloon on Saturday. Scores: men over Japanese, who hitherto have largely controlled the Lt. Eng Smith, o Wace, b fishing industry. On March 15 each year there will be reserved W. E. Dixon, run out as many licences as there is re- F. Sutton, o Crewe, b Anderson 17 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1912. 1881 ason to anticipate will be applied J. P. Robinson, e Lloyd, b for by white fishermen owning their own boats. Formerly all K. R. Macaskill, c Elborough b liconces were assigned to the big canning firms, which farmed them J. H. Mead, not out ...

, A New Comet.

out to Japanese.

The third cometary discovery of the year has been made, states the "Evening Standard," by M. Cant. Wood, b Anderson. ... Borrelly, of the Marseilles Obser- W. L. Weaser, c Lloyd, b vatory, who already has several | 'Anderson ... ... cometary discoveries to his credit. E. H. Scott, run out ... 2 Co.. Ltd. The new body is of the tenth magnitude, and therefore within reach of telescopes of moderate Bize; its position at 7.30 p.m. on November 2 was Right Ascension south-east. Its position is very J. S. Lloyd ... ... 30 favourable for observation in R M. Anderson... 8 1 40 England, as it is quite high in C.C. Stark ... ... the north-west at sunset, and can be observed for the greater part T. E. Pearce, c Capt. Wood, b of the night.

Mr. G khale left Johannesburg recently for Delagoa Bay on J. S. Lloyd, c Capt. Wood b his way back to India. Although there has been no settle G. de Hogton, c Dixon, b mont of the differences regarding the status of Indians within the A. H. Crew, b Dixon..... Union, the visit has been an un- R. M. Anderson, c and b Maqualified success: Extremists apart, the European and Indian E. Wace, c Sutton, b Macaskill communities are now more inclin- C. H. Buckingham, c Weaser, ed to approach the dispute as a conflict of two ideas of right C. C. Stark, b Macaskill ... .. rather than in the spirit of the D. E. Donnelly, not out..... unyielding assertion that all the A. G. White, b Weaser...... right is on one side and all the wrong on the other. Thus the frame of mind necessary for the consideration of a vin modin has been cultivated. Mr. Gokhale. speaking at Protoria, said that he K. R. Macaskill was both gratified and surprised E. H. Scott at his reception; not only by W. L. Wesser Ministers, but by his European W. E. Dixon audiences.

The German Government and Standard Oil. The text of the new Bill "concorning the trade in illuminating J. P. Douglas, b Johnstone oil" has been published. The P. W. Wilkie, c E. L. Braga, b proposed new trading company J. Braga ... under Government control is to L. F. Townend retired have a charter for 30 years and is A. R. Raven, b Braga expected to issue in the first in W. Curwen, b Braga stance shares to the amount of D. J. Mackenzie, c Rose, b £3,000,000, of which one-fifth will carry fivefold voting powers and G. Wolf, b Pestonji ... will be allotted to German com- H.E. Goldsmith, c Setna, b panies, which will not be able to transfer the shares without Go- Major Hunter not out vernment consent. The date upon N. Croucher, b Johnstone which the Bill comes into force E.J. Edwards, c Rose, b Braga will not be fixed in the law, so that

the Government may not have its hands tied, especially in dealing with the existing wholesale trade. It is intended that the scheme shall take effect next year, but | Braga ... some parts of the law may be put Johnstone ... 11 2 into force before others.

Civilisation in a "Hurry." A very striking example of the evil effects that may result from E. L. Brage, not out.... the contact of Europeans with W. H. L. Warrener, c and b less civilised races, oven when the latter are honestly desirous of R. Pestonji, l.b.w. b Goldsmith improving the status of the R. A. Carvalho run out natives is provided by the case of J. D. Noria, c Hunter, b Gold-Fiji. Since 1875, says the smith ... ... ... 'Globe" whon it became a G. A. Hancock, b Wolf .. British Colony, the population J. V. Braga, b Goldsmith ... has decreased at an alarming rate. L. A. Rose, c'Douglas, b Gold-Apart from the disastrous effects smith ... ... ... 10 of epidemics unknown before the C. Johnstone not out ... ... advent of the white man, such as the scourge of dysentery, the decrease is mainly due to the great excess of the death rate over the very high bate. average birth-rate. Half the mortality is of children less than ten years old, and one very im- W. Curwen portant factor has certainly been Goldsmith the introduction of monogamy. Wolf-Under the polygamistic system, Mackenzie the mothers were freed from all other work save rearing their A handicap Golf Match was offspring for a period of four played at the week-end between years after the birth of a child, the U.S.R. C. and the Kowloon C.C. which ensured that the majority (Golf Section) and resulted in a attained to maturity. Now the drawmonogamic mother is unable. through economic conditions, to devote herself to the proper care of her children, and the greatly increased death rate is the result. The case of Fiji shows clearly the L. and S.-W. R. Company for the value of the British policy in past 47 years, has tendered his

possible with native oustoms.

### LOCAL SPORT.

Cricket Results.

The following cricket results

Kowloon.

White ... Stark ... 23

Andergon H. S. Rouse, c Donnelly b 2 / Ruildings. '.Anderson

W. T. Elson st. Poarce, b White... ... ... ...

> Total ... ... ... 105 Bowling Analysis. O. M. R. W.

17h. 47m., North Declin. 38deg. Lt. White... ... .... 12 3 26 2 57min., the motion being to the D. E. Donnelly ... 6 2 11 0 Hongkong Club "A." Macaskill

Mr. Gokhale's Visit to S. Atrica. A. C. E. Elborough, e Robin-7 lorgive. son b Macaskill Macaskill 16 great joy that the celebrated pro-

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b Macaskill

Total..... 85 Bowling Analysis. Craigengower v. Kowloon 'B." of Italy Played at Happy Valley on

Saturday, Scores: . Kowloon.

Braga Braga ...

Extras

...131 term of a hundred and twenty Total ... Bowling Analysis. Pestonji Hancock Craigengower.

Curwen

Total ... ... Kharas and W.S. Setna did not

Bowling Analysis.

Resignation of Southampton Dockmaster.

Captain George Henry Lewis, who has been associated with the India to interfere as little as resignation as dockmaster at Southampton

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time. Many and various are the

causes which combine to multip-

ly it: causes which it is needless

to recapitulate here. Hitherto

the sickness which does not

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til the Health Commission of the

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the beginning of the torment."

g either French or German.

KILLED IN WAR.

Brought Down by Shrapnel, Fired by Turks.

London, October 31. — The phthisis has had the name of Now we have learned with others, left Russia a few days ago lessor, Guiseppe Bandiera of his machine over Adrianople, he Palermo (Italy), a scientist who was brought down by Turkish has grown old in the science shrapnel shells. Dispatches say he was killed. which he exercised, after long and

Paris, October 31.—Aviators profound studies has discovered were greatly excited to-day by a singularly efficacious remedy news of the death of the Russian, against the microbes of phthisis, Popoff, shot yesterday, while making an aerial reconnaissance cesses obtained, and of the im- fir the Bulgarians over Adrianople. Not only was Popost the poses to submit his specific to the first aviator killed in actual warexamination of a Government fare, but it has now been demon-Commission, in the hope that they strated, it was pointed out, that a flying machine is not as safe remedy in the civil and military from shots from below as had been imagined. The theory hiherto has been that an airman, flying high and swiftly, practi-

upset was that maseed firing by already has numerous testimonial, a large number of riflemen would from doctors, as well as from be effective, if anything could patients who have been miracul- be, against a hostile flying ma-18 ously cured. "H Secolo" was chine. Tae Turks tried this, it to publish the glad news to suffailed to hit him, and then 6 fering humanity. We read in brought him down with sbrapnel. this journal: —"The remedy

The Rumoured Nanking Plot.

The latest news from Nanking is that the rumoured plot, in which 2 symptoms of Phthisis within a one of the officers of the "Dareperiod of two or three months To-Dies" was said to be implicated, is a fabrication. An officer merly been a constable in the self cared within the definite French police, arrived in Shangdays. Dr. Bandiers offers his hai a couple of days ago, and medicine to all who have need of when questioned upon the subject, gave a denial. It is. it. He refrains from publishing however, stated that some sort of any analysis of his discovery untrouble did occur, and this douthe plot against Governor of conclude, we now congratulate the illustrious and Venerable Soochow.

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first air victim of the war, the Russian aviator Popost, was instructor of aviation in the Russian army. He, with several to offer his services to the Bul-

and in consequence of the sucportance of his discovery, he promny experiment with the new hospitals; and further, to make it known by means of conferences to be held in the principal towns

> Another theory which has been was reported, against Popaff,

and that the patient finds him- of this regiment, who had for- DLUNKET'S GAP 0 province has met . . . To btless gave rise to the rumours of

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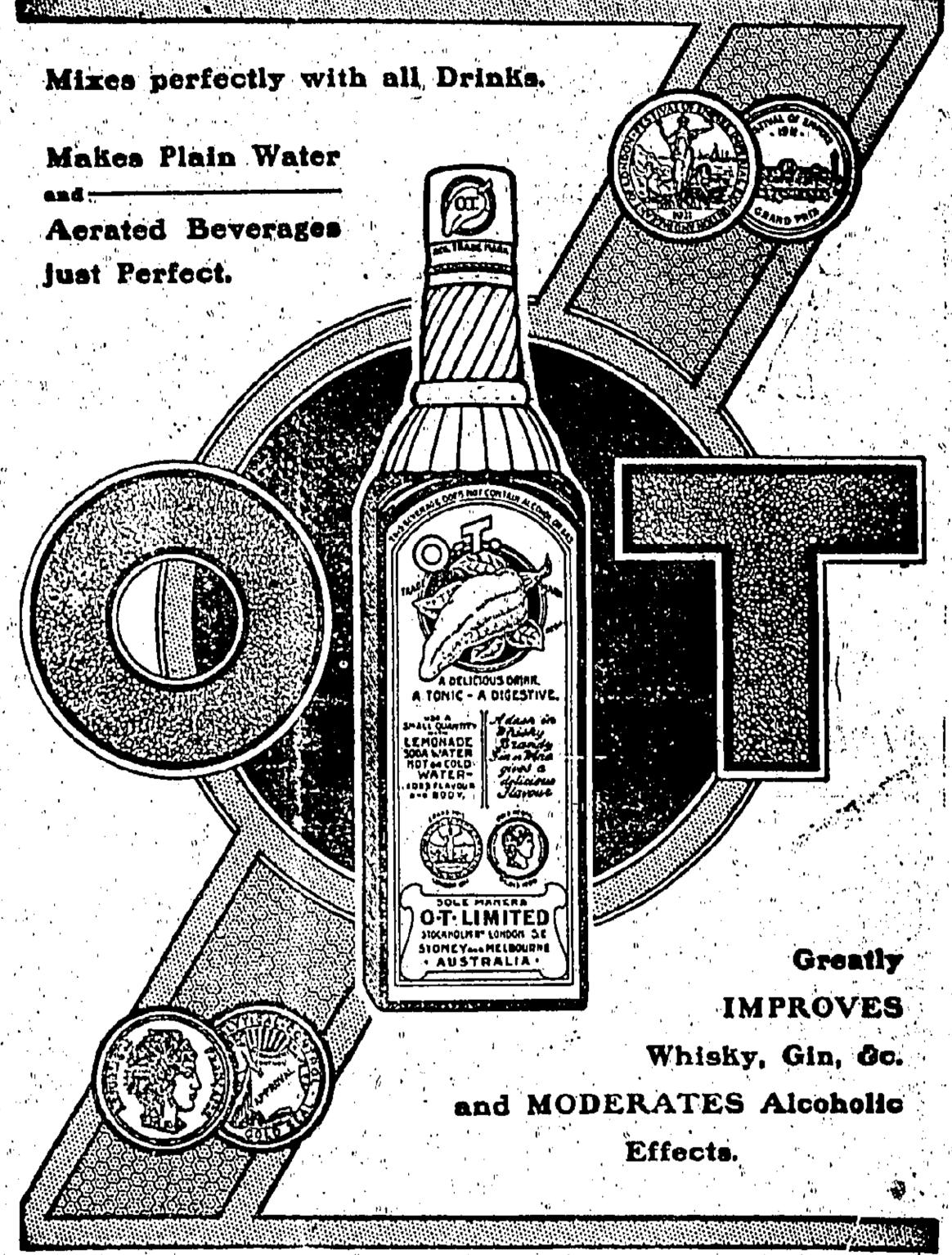
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DEATH.

FITTOCK.—At Kowloon Docks, on the 17th inst., Mr. Charles Fittock, Superintendent of the Shipwrights Department; aged 39 years. The funeral passes the Monument to-morrow at 5 o'clock.

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### The Wongkong Telegraph.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1912.

### THE WATER SUPPLY.

In view of the shortage of water with which the Colony was bered some short time ago threatened, the returns issued by the Water as being in excellent taste and presented with a handsome Authority giving the state of the supply on December 1, are of more than ordinary interest. Though the spectre of a water famine has, England's sister nation. The late even now, not been absolutely laid low, we think an analysis of the King once said of Mr. Reid: "He of friends as a token of esteem etc., belonging to the enemy; and figures will show that the grim possibility is only a possibility; certainly it is not a probability. That, of course, is unless Nature plays tricks with normal calculations.

It will be recalled that in his statement on the situation made in the Legislative Council on October 31 last, His Excellency the Governor, in announcing the plans for conserving the supply, stated that on the 21st of that month the reservoirs contained 542 million gallons, and their contents had been depleted during the preceding week to the extent of 20.1-2 million gallons. From the figures just published we note that the quantity had, by December 1, been reduced to 326 million gallons. Assuming there had been no rain during the interim, and that there had been no other source of augmentation, this would mean that the weekly consumption in that period had been rather over 20 million gallons. We know, in fact, however, that there was a welcome, though slight, fall of rain last month, and, moreover, that the streams must have yielded about a million gallons a day. In order to make the supply last\_out until the time when the rains generally commence—about the middle of May-His Excellency stated, at the meeting referred to, that the rate of consumption should be reduced to 15 million gallons per week. It will be seen, therefore, that the depletion has still been tolerably high, though here it has to be remembered that for the last ten days of October constant supply was available everywhere Many of the Liberal and Labour wanji Pallonji Talati to recover without his boots. He fired a Discourse" Miss White. and that the work of cutting off the services to houses in the Rider Main Districts was only gradually carried out during November as the erection of the alternative street fountains progressed. In these circumstances, therefore, it is not easy to make calculations which will be of very precise value. While on this point of consumption, though, it is worth while noticing that the consumption per head per day during November was 14.3 gallons, this figure comparing dera! We are glad that such an morning. with the ideal advanced by His Excellency of 12 gallons per head per day. This is, at any rate, a difference in the right direction, and now that the whole of the 400 odd public fountains have been the Bill; he declared that flogging Theatre is, as usual, a very attractive was, and the reply was that he erected and the house supplies entirely cut off, it may be safely assumed that the daily consumption is yet further reduced.

When the returns for the next month are issued it will be blooded, inhuman crime." Our ceedingly clever acrobatic dis- leave. The man was, in fact, Lourie, of the U.S.S. Wilmington, sent are particularly requested to essier to see how the supply is likely to work out. On December only regret is that the House play—calls for special mention; Mosby.

1, as we have pointed out, the water stored in the reservoirs was revoked a previous decision the comic "Votes for Women" is With General Lee, Mosby Victoria House, took place this curtain. In a play of this nature 326 million gallons, and even if there be no rain for some time, to inflict flogging for a also highly amusing and season- became a prime favourite. An morning at Happy Valley. A it is essential that no disturbances there is still the customary degree of augmentation from the first offence. However, the Act able. Miss Gladys Spencer con- American writer says:—"If firing squad, and sixty shipmates should detract from the dislogue. streams. But with this even, a rate of consumption amounting to as it has passed into law is a tinues to delight her audience Mosby grew peculiarly obnoxious attended, with the first Lieuten- An interval of 15 minutes be-20 million gallons a week would be too high to make us feel really strong and very necessary men with her very pretty denoing, and in harassing the enemy's rear, it ant of the Wilmington in charge, tween Acts I and II and of 10 comfortable. If, however, the new system proves able to bring the sure, and, to our way of thinking, Miss Dolly Swift also deservedly was because Lee had ordered him The hearse was covered with minutes between each of the folfigure anywhere at all near the suggested 15 millions, Hongkong represents a most excellent piece maintains her popularity by her to make himself so. His warfare flowers, and a profusion of them lowing sols will, it is hoped, give should be able to tide over the dry sesson all right, of social legislation.

Studying the Rat. Fleat On not a few occasions, within the past few months, mention has been made of plague and rate and list in his own hands. and rat fleas. Our readers will therefore be interested to learn that the rat flea is now being carefully studied. He has a laboratory and half a dozen scientific workers all to himself. Dr. William Nicoll, of the Lister trip. Institute of Preventive Medicine, in London, is making careful studies in the longevity of fleus taken from the rats caged at the lots of seven, in clean, dry casks, containing a little sand at the bottom, and having the necks loosely "stoppered" with wool. The different flasks are subjected to different temperatures, and considerable variations in their contents of moisture are made, in order that the fleas may be carefully studied. The utility of such an inquiry is immediately apparent but we should like know whether all the fleas come from healthy rats or whether some are plague-infected and some are not. The value of the inquiry would be vastly increased in the latter event.

The Undesirables. A colony like Hongkong is (and comers, without respect to nationality, who can conduct themselves respectably, can conform to Brit-That is our with Britishers. into up-to-date translated like Hongkong is open to receive son, of London, arrived in the that is physically and morally on Saturday for Austrialia. They of ten cents to get here from Canton. Fortunately the new laws which are about to be set on foot will knock much of this in the head; will at least show these undesirables that, if they are coming here, they must behave themselves while in the Colony But would it not be wiser to keep them out altogother?

The Late Mr. Whitelaw Reid. By the death of Ambassador Whitelaw Reid England loses one of its staunchest friends, and greatest admirers. Not only was Shipbuilders on Friday, Mr. Reid a clever diplomat, but mencing at 9 p.m. he was a delightful host as well. and his beautiful country place, West Park, was always filled with guests, every one of whom apprepiated Mr. Reid's old-world courtesy and thoughtfulness for hop Taylor Smith, C. V. O., D.D., annoyed me considerably, but ence in the meantime to sell beef new can hardly be described as their pleasure. The entertainments that were given by him and Mrs. Reid at Dorchester make the most of life." House will long be rememby London society fully in keeping with Mr. Reid's tantalus, at the Civil Service is one of the most interesting men that I have ever known. His kindly face and upright figure were to be seen at many deserving objects.

Purifying London. The news that the Royal assent Co., and was widely respected. to what is known as the "White Slavery" Bill coincided with the departure from London of many ing the Parliamentary debate on s.s. Shin Kong. he clause dealing with the punishment of those convicted of argument failed to impress Mr.

DAY BY DAY.

The mould of a man's fortune

The Buelow. The s.s. Buelow is to take the We learn from the American

Later Closing.

Institute. The fleas are caged in up to 7 o'clock during the Christ- personality. Removing Sand.

at Tsang Lung Tau.

Dymond proved the charge.

"At Home." December 19th being Nameday Anniversary of Majesty the Emperor of Russia, the Consul for Russia will At Home" at his office from 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Kailan Mining Administration. The total output of the Kailan Mining Administration's mines for the week ending 30th November, amounted to 35,379.55 tons and the sales during the period, to 38,449.86 tons.

Lt. Colonel and Mr. J. J. Harri procurers-and everything else Kiman Maru, and leave by her unsightly and unwholesome-lare staying at the Hongkong

> Capt. Eyres, R.N. Capt. C. J. Eyres, formerly Commodore in Hongkong, has been appointed to H.M.S. President, additional, as assistant to Admiral Commanding Coastguard and Reserves, to date November 16.

The Fugineers' institute, The adjourned discussion of 1864:-Mr. J. S. Chapman's paper on System" is to take place at the Institution of Engineers and

Service for Men. be held in St. John's Cathedral be an intense hatred of him in rary market in Canal Road West, right through from Europe to on Friday evening when the prea- that portion of this valley which and that there was no objection Shanghai instead of merely to cher will by the Right Rev. Bis- is nearly a desert. Mosby has to the issue of a temporary lic- Harbin; but even then the jour-Chaplain General to the Forces. the people are beginning to see pork, and vegetables at 132 Wan- the same of delight. His subject will be "How to that he does not injure me a great chai Road.

Presentation. Last night Mr. J. Spittles was lives in accumulating casion of his recent wedding.

Well Known Resident's Death. The death took place on Eunfunctions in London, especially day, at 8 Seymour Terrace, of Mr. if they had anything to do with D. A. Cordeiro, a well known charity, and his name always member of the Portuguese comappeared on subscription lists for munity The late Mr. Cordeiro was, for 26 years, an employee of out alone to scout in the rear of panied by Lidy May and Miss Messra Gibb, Livingstone and the hostile force. Having May. There was a good atten-

Captain Froggatt. Captain Froggatt's friends along the China Coast will notorious bullies and procurers, learn with interest that he has was a most gratifying piece of in- taken over the command of the formation. London is all the C. M. s.s. Tung Wah which left purer for the disappearance of to-day. Captain Froggatt has these inhuman wretches. In this worked on this coast for over ten matter we were interested in read- years and was, till recently, in the

Not Called on.

Bijou Theatre.

JOHN SINGLETON MOSBY.

U. S. Consul in Hongkong 1878-1885

place of the s.s. Yorck, leaving press that Colonel J.S. Mosby is Hongkong on April 1 for Europe. lying dangerously ill at Washing-The Yorck will not make this ton. "Telegraph" readers who Grant and was ultimately one of knew Hongkong in the early eighties will recollect Col. Mosby We are informed that Messrs. as U.S. Consul General in this Graca & Co.'s store will be kept Colony and will not need to be told open to the public every evening that his was an unusually striking

In America he is still spoken of as " the best hated man in the The master of a licensed trad- | Confederate Army." He seems to ing junk was fined \$25, at the have been a born raider; born to Police Court, this morning for carry on sharp-shooting and guerremoving sand from the foreshore ; illa war fare; and the trouble which he gave to his enemies in '64 has Lottery Tickets. become proverbial. In the Shen-A Chinese ex-policeman was andoah Valley campaign long fined \$150 or in default two lines of communication from Balmonths for dealing in lottery timore and from Washington are: tickets at West Point. Inspector had to be guarded by the Government troops, and Mosby An Ordinance to smend the Sumshowed extraordinary oleverness mary Offences Ordinance, 1845. in breaking through these. So His skilful—and so successful—was he that his enemies represented be him as a sort of fiend incarnate; some even went the leagth of and commercial undertakings. attributing supernatural powers to him.

> The Treatment of Prisoners. These were times of sa-|found guilty of adultery or savage reprieals, and the accounts | Women of the ruthless slaughter of prirealise that wholesale brutality is fore incorporating them in to General Sheridan, explaining Laws of the Colony. why he had hanged seven of the latter's men, be adds:-"Hereafter, any prisoners falling into my hands shall be treated with pulsive to humanity."

of Moshy is told in a dispatch to Government acknowledging the At the Manchurian frontier the Gen. Halleck on November 26, receipt of the resolution passed passengers were again turned out

as I would have employed ten ment area. deal, but causes a loss to them of all that they have spent their Government has no control over A Terror to the Federals.

position as the Ambassador of Cricket Club pavilion. The pre- Sheridan directed General Merritt jection is therefore superfluous. sentation was made by a number to destroy all forage, barns, mills, and congratulation on the oc- the order was carried out to the letter. Sheridan's cavalry werethen ordered "to clean out Mosby's gang of robbers who have so long the series of concerts before infested the district." Lee's and Christmas was given at the Sea-McClellan's armies were lying mon's Institute, when the proceedoutside Richmond, and Mosby, ings were presided over by H.E. at that time still a private, set the Governor, who was accomlearned what he wanted, he re- dance and the items as a whole commenced his guerilla warfare were generally well received. backed up by just a few com- The programme was as follows:panions. For two whole years he Part 1:-Selection, Band of made life unendurable to the P.M.S.S. "Manchuria". Song, Mr. Federal troops; squadron C. J. Higginbotham. Song "The" after squadron was "sent Magic Month of May" Mrs. Platt to destroy him, and failed. Once Pianoforte Solo, Mrs. Turnbull. he was nearly captured. While Song "The Rebel" Mr. Jones. of 35 sticks some Federal troops were passing Song, Mrs. Baswick. Recitation, mite. He was asked if he intenda farm house near Middisburg, Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock. K.C. ed using it for fishing and he they saw a saddled horse fastened Song ". If I build a World for replied that he used it for fright-The case in which Burjorji to a fence. A Confederate officer You" Miss Lander. Song (Comic) ening sharks. living on a woman's earnings. Musserwanji Talati is suing Mer- sppeared at the door of the house Mr. P. West. Song "Bid Me His Lordship:—Does it frightmembers protested against flogg. the sum of Rs. 355,559.14 under revolver at the Union soldiers, Part II:-Violin Solo, A Dance ing offenders, Sir William Byles a judgment obtained in the High and the men returned the fire, from "Nell Gwyn," Miss Lockgoing as far as to denounce Court at Bombay was to have wounding the Southerner in the hart. Song, Mrs Bell. Recitation flogging as brutalising and urg- come before the Chief Justice this body. The Federal forces did H.E. Sir Henry May, K.O.M.G. ing that they ought to seek "to morning in the Original Court but not search the officer for papers, Songs at the Piano, Mrs Webb., "AN IDEAL HUSBAND." elevate and ennoble" the offen the case was not called on this nor learn who he was, but went Song "Green Isle of Erin" Mr. about their business. One of the Jones. Song "Love's Coronation" officers, in a report, said that he Miss White. Song (Comio) Mr R. McKenna, who was in charge of The programme at the Bijou did ask the wounded man who he Sutherland. Song, Mrs Beswick. the curtain will rise at 9 o'clock was the only way in which they tive and interesting one. Among was a Lieut. Johnston, of the Bluejacket's Funeral. could stamp out "this cold- the films, "The Zims"-an ex- Sixth Virginia Cavalry, home on The funeral of oiler S. F. start and all intending to be pre-

was peculiarily his own. The were placed on the grave.

save by his own consent, because, if he did not want to fight, he scattered his command far and wide along the country side, to assemble them again whenever a propitious occasion for an attack presented itself."

After the War, Mosby became a Republican, was pardoned by the latter's chief supporters in his fight for the Presidency. His enemies spoke of him as having deserted the South. Years after, in San Francisco, a lady army deserted me!"

#### LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

meeting of the Legislative Coun-

First reading of a Bill entitled

First reading of Billentitled An and improper interference with or hampering of lawful business

Second reading of the Bill entitled An Ordinance to provide operation which could have been punishment for certain persons vage cruelties and even more harbouring Chinese Married At Moscow there was again no one

Second reading of the Bill ensoners on both sides scarcely titled An Ordinance for effecting with an axe to grind. form happy reading. Mosty final revision and amendment of himself, despite his reputation, the Ordinances of the Colony travellers were packed sardineseems to have been the first to from 1844 to 1912 inclusive benot clean fighting, for in a letter New Revised Edition of the still, there were but two lavatories

the kindness due to their condi- Board was held this afternoon at extra charge of a rouble and a half. tion, unless some new act of bar- the offices of the department when (3/-). A redeeming feature, we are barity shall compel me reluctant- Mr. D. W. Tratman presided. | told, was the food, which was quite ly to adopt a course of policy re- There was very little of interest good and reasonably cheap; the on the agenda but among the waiters, too, were sensible and What Gen. Sheridan thought items was a letter from the civil. by the Board at their last meeting | for the examination of baggage, "I will soon commence work relative to the issuing of permits and, this time, were kept standing "The Efficiency of the Propelling on Mosby. Heretofore I have to remove building material and about for hours in the bitter cold. made no attempt to break him up, turf from the Pokfulum Catch- Altogether, it was a miserable

Mr. Bowley minuted: The the issue of licences for the sale of food under section 77. The The day after writing the above, statement that they have no ob-

### SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE CONCERT.

. Yesterday evening the last

### enemy could never reach him, THE SIBERIAN RAILWAY.

A Second Class Passenger's Experience.

A local contemporary recently gave the experiences of a passenger via Siberia, which were calculated to impress the average reader with a sense of the comfort and convenience to be met with in the 2nd class compartments of the trans-Siberia railway. Another local gentleman, who recently travelled Eastwards by the same line, informs the asked him if it was true that he "Telegraph" that his own exmadame," he replied, "Lee's periences were not quite so

"I did it once but—never

again," he told us; and proceeded to dwell on the discomforts of his trip. At War-The orders of the day for the saw he changed for Moscow; the train was greatly over-crowded cil to be held on Thursday next and, but for the assistance of some Russian fellow-passengers who understood English, our informant would not have got a seat at all. Nowhere was there a representative of Cook's or any Ordinance to prevent the undue other agency to assist the traveller. At the Russian frontier everyone -men, women and children -was turned out of the train for an examination of hand-baggage, an carried on just as well on the train of without disturbing the passengers. to advise passengers-no one, that is to say, but hotel-runners

From there to Irkliniak the wise in carriages that were the absurdly overheated. Worse for all this number of men; in some cases people had to wait nearly half the day before they could procure a decent, wash. A meeting of the Sanitary A bath was obtainable, but at the

journey and one-says our inmen to his one for the reason that In a further letter the Colonial formant—that ladies could not have made a scapegoat of him Secretary stated that His Ex- possibly undertake by secondfor the destruction of private cellency the Governor had sanc- class. Much of the trouble would A special service for men will rights. Now there is going to tioned the erection of a tempo- be avoided if one could register

### THE CANTON MURDER.

The trial of Ibrahim for the murder of Ali Shafa at Canton on September 4 was concluded yesterday afternoon, so far as the courts in Hongkong are concerned.

At the conclusion of argument as to the issue of a writ of habeas corpus, and as to whether the court could give leave to appeal to the Privy Council at Home, the Chief Justice sentenced the prisoner to death but informed him that the sentence would be stayed until His Majesty's pleasure was made known.

### PROPERTIES OF DYNAMITE.

At the Police Court, this morning, Sergeant Thompson charged the mester of a fishing junk with being in unlawful possession

en sharks?—Yes. Does it make the junk sail better?—Yes (Laughter).

Defendant was fined \$250.

Owing to the length of the play precisely to night. The interest of the play commences from the smple time for retreatment."

#### DEATH OF MR. C. FITTOCK,

It is with deep regret that we record the death of Mr. Charles Fittock, Superintendent of the Shipwrights' Department of the the Police Court to-day on Kowloon Docks, which took place charge of egg-throwing at the Police Court this morning, to day after a comparatively brief public, along with two youths with disorderly conduct in illness. The deceased had been un- named Adam Ismail and Saloman Connaught Road. It appears well for some little time, but his con- Moosdeen. dition only became grave within the past few days. Ptomaine poisoning is believed to have been proceeding from the Western stabled to death, and other things the cause of his death...

the East for very many years, was Sincere's a double-decked car extremely well-known in the was approaching on its way to Colony, and he was, by reason of his West Point and the constable himself and three others were genial disposition and generous saw two eggs drop alongside the nature, most popular among his picket. On looking round he saw many friends, who will hear of the three defendants emptying his death with deep sorrow. He packets of eggs on the top of the was formerly Superintendent in |car. The constable then went on | his comrades to arrest the first charge of the Aberdeen Docks, to the car and arrested them. but, on this establishment At the Police Court, this morn-asked defendant why he should closing down so far as its ing, they were charged with un-make such an observation. Decerned, he was transferred to a missile to the damage or danger European constable. A few the Kowloon Docks some few of other persons near Sincere and days ago witness and others years ago. Mr Fittock was a pro- Co's premises. minent Freemason, having held the office of Worshipful Master of story and P. C. 136 said he the tramcars they would be the Zetland Lodge, while he was was walking from Sincere's stabled. also identified for many years when he heard a loud report with the Eastern Scotin Lodge. He was a keen lover of sport also, the defendants. The car was his possession a ticket for Singaand came into considerable pro going at full speed and he ran minence as one of the best tennis players in Kowloon.

Mr Fittock leaves a wife and two children, for whom the deepost sympathy will be felt in the great grief into which they have been plunged. The funeral takes place to-morrow, passing the Monument at 5 o'clock.

#### AN AMERICAN LECTURER IN JAPAN.

which Mr. Hamilton Wright on the way to Sincere and Co., Mabie will during the coming threw the eggs at a crowd of winter deliver before the great Chinese. He did not throw. universities of Japan a series of |year Dr. Nitobs, of the Imperial him throw anything, University of Tokyo, was sent by Japan to America, and his Melbourne fined Ismail \$5, and lodgings. electures there did much to give bound-him over to be of good students and thinkers a just con- behaviour for six months in his peared for the plaintiff, but the cention of the Japanese people, father's surety of \$100. their modes of thought and their other two, Bux and Moosdeen, aspirations. It is as a return for were discharged. Dr. Nitobe's visit that the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, in co-operation with the Japanese Government, hasarranged that Mr Mabioshould deliver in Japan the proposed series of addresses on Western vilization and ideals.

Mr Hamilton Mabie is wel known in the States as associate editor of the "Outlook." Among the subjects of his lectures will

• 1 Clearing the way; 2 Exploration and Settlement; 3 Making the Nation; 4 The Individualist 5 The Neighbour; '6 The Record in Literature: Provincial; 7 The Record in Literature: Sectional 8 The Record in Literature; National; 9 School and College; 10 The University and Research.

During the six months-from December onwards—of Mr. Mabie's stay in Japan he will con tribute periodical papers to the "Outlook" on the problems of the For East.

### A LIGHT SENTENCE.

Soldier Charged with Assault.

Pte. Frammeny was, according to a statement of Inspector Mc-Hardy to Mr. Huzeland, at the Police Court, this morning, un assaulted a tramear driver and lington Street, as his property. two special constables at Causeway Bay.

The defence to the two charges of assault was that a lady wished ment with hard labour and four to get off the car and defendant hours' stocks. pulled the driver's coat to get him to stop the car. The driver got annoyed at this and, when the car got to Causeway Bay, gave him in charge for assault. He did not assault the police.

ant had a very good character in Colony are still in a very desthe Army and it was for that rea- turbed state, and missile throwing son he wis about to pass a light has been renewed. "Yesterday liam Powell, Ltd., to state that, as so tence upon him. There was evening whilst an Indian picket a convenience to the public, their no doubt he had been drinking, is charge of a European was in store will be open every evening Rubber Co., Ltd., state that the Chapman's paper, will take place on He would fire defendant \$3 on Des Vocux Road some one threw till 6 p.m., during the Christmas estimated output of dry rubber Friday. Oth, Dec. at 9 p.m. each of the two charges, or in de- two tins filled with sand at them sesson. The windows will be for the month of November is fault fourteen days.

### BOXER IN COURT.

"Iron" Bux Appears Before Mr. Melbourne.

"Iron" (A.M.) Bux appeared at

Market to Sincere's with a picket done to them, if they got on to a Mr. Fittock, who had been in under his charge. On arrival at

con- lawfully and wantonly throwing fendant was handed over to a

Constable Bilbrough told his stated that on the tram car containing know the defendant who had in after it and boarded it at Sincere's where it stopped. He arrested the statement made by the pre-Ismail and searched him but vious witness. found no arms.

ed, said it was simply a boy's

In reply to the charge, Ismail that he did throw an egg but did his rivals, particularly the first not fire a pistol.

Bux in reply to the charge said he was with "the other two going to the cinematograph when some Uhinese A valuable extension of the threw stones at them, one of which How a Defendant Addressed the system of Exchange in lecturers struck him on the head. They between countries is that under afterwards bought some eggs, and

Moosdeen pleaded not guilty addresses on "The American and stated that nothing was found Spirit, Ideals, and Life." Last in his pockets. No constable saw

### HONOUR FOR A HONG-KONG CHINESE.

pointed by President Yuan director of the Government mint at Canton.

It will be remembered that Li Sum Ling visited Manila in revolutionary party, and succeed- 11 or 12, when he left the house ed in raising a large sum money to aid the cause. Since his return to China he has been active in the affairs of the new government as an assistant to the Minister of Fnance.

Mr. Li was educated at St. quently editor of the "Chinese der to his bail, and the

### STOLEN SINGLETS.

stopped the man. In the bundle the plaintiff's books.

The defendant argued that the launch which ran between Royal.

Vermetiand Hongkong. He saw der the influence of drink though | which were altornated incommed the payment of wife's board and it near Stanley's buoy and it

> At the Police Court, this morning, Mr. Huzeland, sentenced the to pay \$35 for himself. The he found 126 on board whereas man to one month's imprison-

### MORE MISSILE THROWING

His Worship said the defend- to the Press, some parts of the Goeben. from the verandah of a house." specially illuminated.

#### THE BOYCOTT.

Alleged Threats to Excise Officers.

A man and his concubine were charged before Mr. Hazeland, at that whilst four Excise Officers

A Chinese employee of the Hongkong Excise Office, said about to board the car when the first defendant called out to them. 'Take care! I will stab you to death." Witness called out to defendant. They did so and he had received a letter which if they used

By His Worship: He did not

Another witness corroborated

Defendant alleged that a man Mr.J.H. Gardiner, who defend- whom he had had banished from Singapore had got the excise officers to arrest him. He (defendant) was a police informer at made a statement to the effect Singapore. The witnesses were

Defendants were discharged

### "YOUR MAJESTY\_"

Pulsne Judge,

In the Summary Court this morning before Mr. Justice Gomperty, Puisne Judge, Tsan Kum Ting, trading as the Victoria Boarding House, sued George Wilson, mariner on the U.S.S. Wilmington, to recover the sum After hearing the evidence Mr. of \$36.25 alleged to be due for

> Mr Leo D'Almada e Castro apdefendant was unrepresented.

Mr D'Almada said in June 11 last the defendant approached the brarding house with a woman who he alleged was his wife, and asked what was the fee chargeable for board and lodging for the woman. The plaintiff told him that board and lodging by Li Sum Ling, the Hongkong the month for his wife would be Chinese who has won distinction \$75. He was a mariner on the situation. as one of the ablest financiers of Wilmington, and he wanted the new Republic, has been ap- to know what would be the fees for lodgings only for! himself. He was told it would be at the rate of \$2 per day or \$35 per month. He agreed for her to stay for a month, and at March as a financial agent of the the end of that time, about Jane with Mrs Wilson, plaintiff demanded the amount due to him. The only reply given was a very serious assault on plaintiff, and the defendant was arrested. He was taken to the police station, and there bailed out in the sum Paul's College and was subset of \$35. He did not surrent EXCESS OF PASSENGERS. same was estreated. He, plaintiff,

had not seen the defendant since, Defendant in the box deposed advance.

Ohinese on Sunday night and he the nought," looking at one of Grist, appeared for the defence.

lodging and his occasional appeared to be dangerously over staying there. He did not agree loaded. On boarding he vessel additional \$1.25 was for a dish it was only licenced to carry 114. of curried fowl.

for the plaintiff for \$1.25

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between Haiphong and Saigon. Yesterday these gentlemen made a thorough examination of the Ruhi, but so far no decision has been arrived at.

### NO TELEGRAMS:

Due to interruption of Cables.

No telegraphic news from Home has reached us to-day, and hence we are only able print those" which have of last evening. The non-receipt who of messages to-day is, we learn on enquiry at the Telegraph Company's offices, due to the fact that telegraphic communication between Bombay and Hongkong is interrupted. As all press telegrams from London to Hongkong come by way of Bombay, our readers will appreciate

### THE DANGEROUS DEN CASE.

The two Chinese who were charged before Mr. Melbourne, with being in possession of arms and ammunition in a house at persons. Wanchai, yesterday, and who were defended by Mr. C. F. Mason, of Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist, were each fined \$100orin default three months. Sergeant Ogg who raided the house was commended by the Magistrate.

Magistrate's Court, before Comthat he had paid down \$75 in Kwai, master of the s.l. Wa Hing, plaintiff ever succeeding. was charged with unlawfully Inspector Dymond became "I think there has some altera- carrying 12 passengers in excess curious as to the contents of a tion here, your Majesty" remark- of the number allowed by his parcel which was being carried the defendant. "I paid him one licence on Dec. 12. Mr. Reader along Queen's Road West, by a sum of \$10 but I can only see Harris, of Messrs. Wilkinson and

payment of \$75 was Yaumati and Hongkong. He saw

Witness said the first time he His Lordship gave judgment counted he found 126, on counting again the number was only 121, but subsequently he found two men hidden in the engine Captain Lindemann is to take room and three in the fore peak. The case was adjourned

For failing to licence their boats, two boats people were fined \$5 each.

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### A CONTRACT QUESTION

Sequel to a Verbal Agreement.

This afternoon before Mr. Jusice Compertz an interesting case was continued in which Kwan Shiu Hing, contractor of 84 Peel Street proceeded against Tam Yuk Shun of 6 Stanley Street also a contractor. The plaintiff's case was that on

October 8, 1912, he entered into a verbal agreement to carry on a certain building contract, to pull down and erect eight Chinesa shops and dwelling houses in Cross fic along the Indo-China coast St. He asked that there should be a declaration that the verbal agreement was binding, and that specific performances should be ordered; that a proper deed of co-partnership between the plaintiff and the defendant, should be settled by the judge in case the parties differed, and for an injunction restraining the defendant from carrying on the work alone, or with any person or persons other than the plaintiff, and also to restrain the defendant from outing the plaintiff from partner-

The sitting to-day was devoted to the adjourned hearing of the motion for an injunction.

Mr. Eldon Potter, instructed by Mr. J. H. Gardiner, appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. F. C. Jenkin, instructed by Mr. Reader Harris of Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist, appeared for the defence.

Mr. Jenkin arguing on behalf of the defence urged that the injunction, if granted, would take the form, practically, of a mandatory injunction. In the original application Mr. Potter asked the court to restrain the defendant from carrying on the work along or with any other person or

Mr. Potter pointed out that the interim injunction was granted to prevent the defendant subletting the contract.

Mr. Jenkin remarked that if they were seeking an order in the terms of the original injunction, it was an attempt to get the court specifically to enforce a contract, about which there was consider-This morning in the Marine able doubt and on which, according the evidence, as filed, there mander Basil Taylor, R.N., Lo was very little chance of the

The case was proceeding as we went to press.

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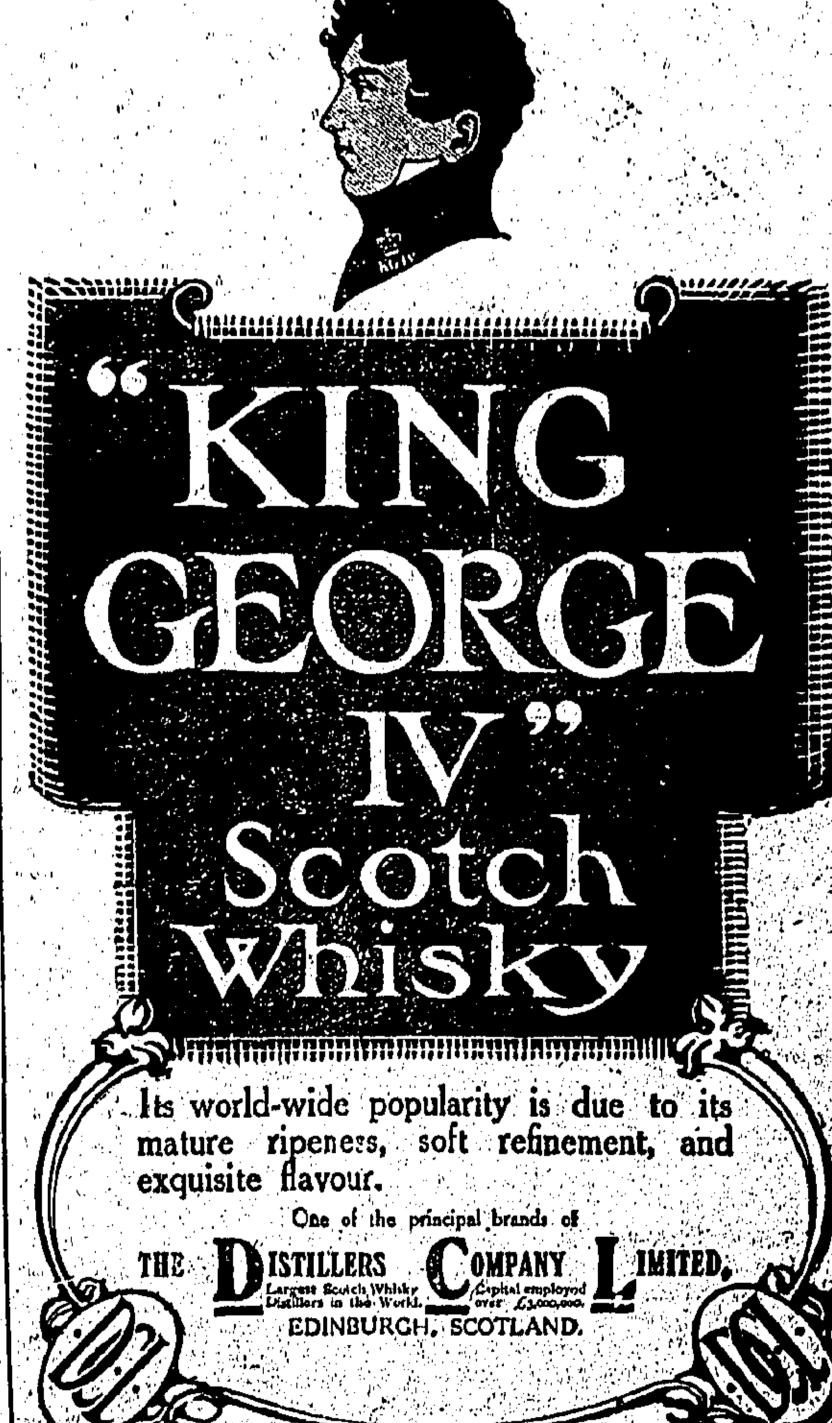
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December.

### CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

To SAIL. MANILA, CEBU & ILOILO..." TAMING"......17th De: 4 P.W. SHANGHAI ..... "CHINHUA" .....19th , 4 P.M. SHANGHAI ....."LIANGCHOW" ......21st , M'night. SHANGHAI.....26th ,, 4 P.M. MANILA, CEBU & ILOILO ... "KUEICHOW" ... 27th , 4 P.M.

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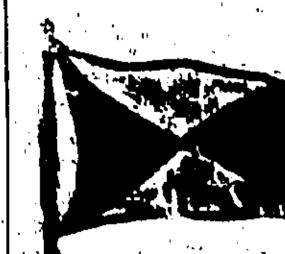
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Paugkong, 16th December, 1912.

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# HONGKONG-

LOG BOOM.

Chargeurs Reunis.

Compagnie des Chargeurs Reunis,

which ranks third among the

large French steamship com-

panies, have decided to july five

per cent. dividend for the finan-

cial year ending June, 1912.

This proposal was to be submitt-

ed to the general meeting of

shareholders to be held on Nov.

Training of Boys for Mercantile

Marine.

The Finance Committee of the

London County Council recom-

mend the Council to co-operate,

by scholarships, etc., in training

London boys for the mercantile

marine. They suggest that 500

two years' training. Thus, after

the first year, there would always

be one thousand boys in training.

The committee propose an annual

The Montreal Floating Dock.

of the floating dry dock at Mon-

treal on November 18, the Duke

of Connaught said that a great

reproach against the St. Lawrence.

trade "route was now removed

and that the largest vessels could

run to Montreal, their owners

knowing that they were entering

a port in possession of a complete

modern equipment for the repair

and examination of ships. In the

past absence of such equipment

had discouraged traffic and in-

fluenced underwriters unfavoura-

bly against the great national

Special low rates on s.s. Nile.

company have made an almost

unheard of low rate as an induce-

ment for China coast residents to

visit Manila on the intermediate

steamship Nile which is due to

arrive at Manila on December 21.

This rate, says the "Cablenews

American", which is only for this

round trip fare from Shanghai to

only \$60. This rate also includes

a single passage from Shanghai

to Manila at the rate of \$40 and

from Shanghai to Hongkong via

Manila, \$40 Mex. This rate does

not allow for any stop-over pri-

vileges. An arrangement has

with stop-over privileges at

Manila. The round trip fare from

via Hongkong with stop-over

privileges is fixed at \$99 and the

single fare from Shanghai to

Hongkong with stop-over a

A Dry-dock Steamship.

Company, of Portland, Oregon

(says an America newspaper), is

having plans prepared for a dry-

dock steamship capable of carry-

ing 5,000,000 feet of lumber.

Like a floating dry dock, this

vessels will be capable of being

partly submerged and having

scows loaded with lumber run-

into five compartment built on

pontoons at each side of the

steamer proper. There will be

three sets of scows, ten in a set.

one group of which will be kept

at each end of the route and the

third in transit. In this way this

vessel can be discharged, loaded

and made ready to leave within,

five or six hours after her arrival

German Shipbuilding.

for ships is increasing every year.

will always remain at the head of

the shipbuilding nations. There

is no ambition on our part to

equal or excel Great Britain in

this respect." Asked if there had

been any phenomenal increase in

the number of shipbuilding yards.

in Germany, Mr Boger replied:

"On the contrary, some ship-

building yards there have been

wound up for want of orders."

"I do not think Germany will

The E. H. Dodge Lumber

Manila at \$66.

The Pacific Mail steamship

waterway.

In a speech at the launching

grant of £2 for each boy.

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Stramship.	Tons.	Captain.	For	Sailing Date.
RUBI	4000	J. Millor	Manila, Mangarin, Iloilo and Cabu!	TUESDAY, 17th Dec., 4 P.H
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CO. boys be sent to sea annually for GENERAL MANAGERS

Hongkong 7th December, 1912.

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Date of sailing S.S. " Chiyo Maru "......11,000 ..... W. W. Greene... Dec. 21st, Noon. 8.8. " Nippon Maru " ... 21,000 ..... A. G. Stovens .... Jan. 11th, Noon. 8.8. "Tenyo Maru" ...21,000 ..... E. Bent ....... Jan 17th, Noon. 8.8. " Shinyo Maru " ... 21,000 ..... H. S. Smith ..... Feb 11th, Noon. There steamers are equipped with Turbino Engines and Triple Screws.

All steamers excry Japanese Government wireless telegraph and post officer. The steamer "Chiyo Maru" will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA and HONOLUJ J also been made at a special rate on SATURDAY, the 21st Dec., at Noon.

INTERMEDIATE SERVICE.

Shanghai to Manila and return The twin screw steamer "Nippon Maru" will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA & HONOLULU on SATURDAY, the 11th January, 1913, at Noon.

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In connection with the National Railway of Mexico at Manzanillo and the Tehnantapec National Railway at Salina Cruz). Only Regular Direct Service to Mexican, Chilian and Peruvian Ports. PROPOSED S ILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION). Date of Sailing. 

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to prevent rolling at sea, thus ensuring steadiness and the German-Australian Steamship THE COST is not more by this route with its unrivalled opportunities, than by any other route, For a return ticket to London the cost is but Lizo, including barth and meals across America. To San Francisco via Japan and Honolulu the cost is Les. For the INTERMEDIATE SERVICE First Class accommodations are provided for Les to London (return ticket Les) and to San Francisco Bogor added: "We in Germany Les. SPECIAL RATES to officers, Army, Navy, Consular or Civil Service. are mainly trying to meet the Manchuria ... 27,00 demands of trade. The demand

Starting, Dec. 17th, at 1 p.m. • Nile .....11,000 Dec. 31st, at 1 p.m. Mongolia ... 27,000 Jan. 7th, at 1 p.m. and we are merely trying to keep Porsia ... 9,000 Jan. 28th, at 1 p.m. ...1,8000 Fob. 4th, at 1 p.m. pace with it. England is entirely Korea Passengers holding through Tickets have the privilege of travelling by train between Kobe and Yoke- | Shead of our tonnage, and I think

. Intermediate Steamers. LET US PLAN AN ITINERARY FOR YOU Hongkong, 6th September, 1912. Agent. Patama-Pacific International Exposition-San Francisco-1915.

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S.S. BRASILIA ......9th Jan

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For Sunghai, Kobe & Yokohama: S.S. SAMBIA .....

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LOG BOOK.

The Titanic's Bandsmen.

White Star Line ha Musicians' Union, alleging that Line, in turn, insured the sult of agitation by the Amalgaobjection to musicians the new agreement. -signing articles, the practice was changed, and the handsmen were sent to sea as passengers with a second-class ticket. This relieved the White Star Company from most positive statements are being liability under the Workmen's repeated concerning the big ship-Compensation Act, but it was not ping consolidation, which is the P. and O. can only be by the reason for the change, and believed to be under negotia- means of purchases of stock in

New Shipyard Agreement.

but which have since ruled by mutual consent pending the drawing up of the amended agreement. The amendments made are mostly designed for the speeding up of the mackinery for settling disissued a reply to criticisms by putes. Definite limits of time Mr. J. B. Williams, general are laid down within which quessecretary of the Amalgamated tions raised by the employers or dille men must be considered in consultation with individual omthe owners of the Titanic, on a ployers or at local or national paltry technical point," re- conferences. It is expected that pudiated liability for compensatilities provisions will remove the tion to the relatives of heroic principal objection of the mento the old agreement. This was that bandemen. It is pointed out that negotiations regarding disputed the bandemen are supplied under points" were carried to great contract by Messrs. C. W. and F. length, and that in consequence N. Black. Originally the men the settlements were frequently were signed on the articles at the has also been agreed that there of very little value to them. It \_nominal rate of 1s. per month, shall be in the new agreement no thus bringing them within the penal clauses for the punishment scope of the Workmen's Com- of employers or men who commit pensation Act. The White Star breaches of the agreement, and the clause providing for the election of an outside arbiter to debandsmen, paying half the cide when there is a breach of the premium with Messrs. Black. agreement has been omitted. In Early this year, however, as a re- addition the men have abandoned their claim for a neutral chairman mated Musicians' Union, which at joint conferences. The Boilermakers' Society is not a party to

tion Repeated.

Rumours of Shipping Amalgama-London, November 22.—The

the shippard trades committee it no. doubt, in the first place, that time." Rumours of this nature is practically certain to be en- Sir Thomas Sutherland's denials have been flatly denied by officials dorsed by both parties. The new of any intention on the part of of the companies concerned but agreement is an amalgamation of himself to participate in a scheme, the remarks of the Stock Exchange the best points of the agreement of consolidation are genuine, and Gazette, which is edited by Sir. of December, 1910 both of which it is therefore obvious that any Thomas Skinner, command attenformally expired last September, controlling interest obtained in tion.—"Financial News."

VESSELS TAKING CARGO.

### European Ports.

Destination.	Vessel's Name.	For Freight Apply To	To be Dispatched,
London and Antwerp	Denbighshire	J. M. & Co	28 December
London via Usual Ports of Call	Himalaya		
London and Antwerp via Singapore, &c	Sicilia		
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Bremen, and Hamburg, &c		H. A. L	5 January.
do do do	Fuerst Buelow.		23 January
Marseilles and Hamburg, &c	· <del></del> · · •		19 December
Marseilles, London & Antwerp via Singapore, &c.	Tango Maru		18 December
Mexico, Peruvian and Chili via Japan	Kiyo Maru	T. K. K.	1 February
Cape Ports via Mauritius	Duneric	Bank Line	Begin. January
Copenhagen and Baltic Ports	Canton	A. N. & Co	15 January
l'rieste via Singapore, Penang & Colombo, &c.		S. W. & Co	
Trieste, Fiume, Venice via Singapore, &c	Persia		31 Dec., about
Naples, Genoa, Algiers, Gibraltar, Southampton	Luetzow	M. & Co	•

#### New York, San Francisco and Canada.

oston and New York	Egremont Castle	D & Co	19 Dec., about
ew York, via Suez Canal	Schuylkill	Bank Line	30 December
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an Francisco via Shanghai and Japan, &c	Chiyo Maru	T. K. K.	21 December
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#### Australia.

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### Singapore, Coast Ports and Japan.

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	Haiyang D. L. & Co 24 December
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Manila	Inensang J. M. & Co 21 December
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they continued to pay the in- tion. The "Stock Exchange the market, Similarly with the surance jointly with Messrs. Cazet'e" thus states the the "facts Royal Mail Company, the direc-The White Star Line according to our information":- tors " have not been officially were equally surprised with the. "These embrace an intention on approached in connection with public when they learnt that the the part of a powerful financial this matter, although this is perinsurance company had repudiat- group to acquire a controlling in- haps immaterial, as they have ed liability. Having regard to terest in the P. and O Com- issued no denial of such overthe facts, the White Star Line re- pany on the basis of £500 tures. Nevertheless it will proquested Messrs. Black to inter- or £550 for each £100 of defer- bably prove to be the case that in view the insurance company, and red stock and £200 or £220 for any development that may take arrangements are now in progress each £100 of Royal Mail ordinary place hereafter Sir Owen Philipps by which the insurance comany stock, while the British India will remain as a dominant factor will, it is hoped, deal liberally Company would be treated on a in the situation. To complete the with cases where bons fide separate basis, concerning which project it will be necessary to dependency can be proved. ... there is no information. These, form a holding company prepared however, are the companies which to give such terms as have been At a conference held in Edin- it is sought to bring into unison, mentioned above to the existing burgh last month between re- with possibly the Cunard Com- proprietors of thorespective undernesentatives of the Shipbuilding pany as well, by rezson of its busi- takings in exchange for their hold-Employers' Federation and the ness connection with the P. and ings. If such an offer he made in opply to standing committee of the ship- O Company. There has been a loash it would naturally run into a yard trade unions the final draft suggestion that the group or gigantic sum. Nevertheless, we of the new Shippard Trade Agree- syndicate who have been buying believe it is the intention of the ment was approved, and arrange- the capital issues of these com- promoters of this huge deal to ments were made for sending it panies would achieve their pur- place the entire transaction on a to the federation and the branches pose by Saturday next, and we cash basis if necessary, and there of the various unions for their merely repeat this in order to state is little doubt that they are strong approval. As the agreement is that there is very little likelihood enough financially to do this, prorecommended by the executive of the matter being completed as vided, of course, that payments be board of the federation and speedily as this. There can be spread over a reasonable period of

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#### AMERICAN MAIL.

The P.M. str. Mongolia, with the American mail, left. San Francisco for this port via Hono- Chiyo Maru, Jap. s.s., 7,250, W. lulu, the Japan ports and Manila on the 30th November.

left San Francisco for Hongkong via usual ports on the 7th inst. and is due here on the 31st inst.

The mails ex P.M. s.s. Nile, have been transferred to the s.s. Awa Maru, and not to the P. &. O. s.s. Himalaya as previously ad-

#### ENGLISH MAIL.

The P. & O. s.s. Delta, left Singapore for this port on the 14th inst., at 6 p.m., and is due here on the 20th inst., about 6 a.m.

### FRENCH MAIL.

The s.s. Ernest Simons will not leave Shanghai before the 25th inst, and is expected to arrive here on the 28th inst.

### GERMAN MAIL.

The I. G. M. s.s. Prinzess Alice, which left here on Wednesday the 11th inst., at 10 a.m., arrived at Singapore on Sunday, the 15th inst. at noon.

### AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The E. and A. str. St. Albans from Sydney, left Port Darwin on Kueichow, Br. s.s., 1,215, Cole, the 2nd inst. for Timor, Manila and Hongkong.

### MERCHANT STEAMERS.

The s.s. Shimosa sailed from New York on the 24th inst., for Landrat Scheiff, Ger. s.s., Bru-Far East, via the Straits.

The str. Kansas, passed the Liberia, Ger. s.s., Schroeder, 14th register and classed 100 A.I. at Lloyda, Suez Canal on the 3rd December, and is due here on or about 3rd

> The T. K. K. s.s. Kiyo Maru, at Honolulu from arrived Manzanillo on the 13th inst. and is due in Hongkong on the 18th

> The I.-C. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Kumsang, from Singapore, is due at leaves for Japan on the 20th inst.

The Indra Line s.s. Indramayo, from New York, is due at Hongkong on the 23rd inst. She passed Mausang, Br. s.s., 1,646, A. C. A. Canal on the 26th ult.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Upada, kong on the 17th inst., and leaves for Japan on the 20th inst.

European Line, left Singapore, for this port via on the 12th inst., and

The str. Dilwara, from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 15th inst., and may be expected here on or Houstone. 12th Dec., 1919. . [827] about the 20th inst., vinight

The O. S. K. s.e. Tacoma Marv. from Tacoma arrived at Manila on the 15th inst.; and will leave again for this port on the 18th inst., and is due here on the 21st

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The "Ben" Line s.s. Benlawers, from Antwerp and London. left Singapore on the 12th for this

expected here on the 18th inst.

The I. M. G. s.s. Coblenz, left Sydney on the 14th inst., at 11 a.m., and may be expected here on or about 6th January.

The H. A. L. s.s. Armenia left Singapore on the 14th inst., a.m., and may be expected here on or, about the 20th inst., a.m.

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Rangoon-maru. Childar, Nor. s.s., 1,102, Flojorter, 14th Pec.—Surabaya 4th Dec., Sugar.—T. & Co.

> Chip Shing, Br. s.s., 1,199, Mooney, 13th Dec.—Canton 12th Dec., Gen.-J., M. & Co.

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San Francisco 15th Nov. Mail and Gon.-T. K. K. The T. K. K. s.s. Nippon Maru, Clara Jebsen, Ger. s.s., 1,103, A. P. Ulderup, 13th Dec.-

> J. & Co. .: Haiching, Br. s.s., 1,267, W. C. Passmore, 15th Dec. Swatow 14th Dec., Gen.

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-D. L. & Co. Haimun, Br. s.s., 641, J. W. Evans, 13th Dec.—Swatow 12th Dec., Gen.-D. L. & Co.

Hanoi, Fr. s.s., 739, G. Bonhier, 12th Dec.—Haiphong via Pakho. 10th Dec., Gen.-A. R. Marty.

Hoihow, Br. s.s., 987, McCulloch, 10th Dec.—Amoy 7th Dec., Ballast.—B. & S.

Hopsang, Br. s.s., 1,359, J. M. Hay, 13th Dec.-Java 3rd Dec., Sugar.—J., M.

Kaijo Maru, Jap. s.s., 1,293, 14th Dec.—Swatow 13th Dec. Ballast.—O. S. K.

Kauchow, Br. s.s., 1,217, Monkman, 14th Dec.—Swatow 13th Dec., Gen.—B. & S.

Kjeld, Nor. s.s., 890, T. Hellero 7th Dec.—Haiphong 5th Dec., Stone.—A. T. & Co.

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### TURCO-EGYPTIAN

TOBACCO FROM KAMITCHATKA, DIRECT BEST RUSSIAN SMOKED FISH AND BEST QUALITY RUSSIAN BLACK CAVIARE.

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S.S. "LOVAT."	IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.
From MIDDLESBOROUGH, GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL	NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are "PRINZ WALDEMAR," being landed at their lisk into the G. downs of the Holt's Wharf at Kow. having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are loon, whence and/or from the wharves hereby informed that their goods, with

delivery may be obtained. given before.

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Company, Limited, Kowloon, and Goods remaining undelivered after the West Point Godowns, whence delivery 21st Dec, will be subject to rent. All claims against the Steamer

on or before the 14th Jan., or they will Consignees before noon to-day requestnot be recognized. All broken, chaied, and damaged

Goods are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined on the 20th Dec., at 11 a.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countereigned

DODWELL & CO., LTD. Hongkong, 16th, Dec., 1912.

NORDDEUTSOHER LLOYD

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL

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LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship

上海署仔

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W. BOWEN-BOWLANDS.

Score say, Sanitary Board,

The prices necessarily vary from day to day and the Sanitary

Board has no power to compel stallholders to sell at the prices quoted

"KLEIST,"

having arrived, Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or delivery may be obtained against Billsextra hazardous Godowns of the Hong- of-Lading countersigned by the Underkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown signed. Company, Limited, Kowloon, and Optional Cargo will be useried on West Point Godowns, whence delivery unless notice to the contrary he given may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on Consigness before noon to-day request. which date they cannot be recognized. ing it to be landed here.

goods remaining undelivered after the 19th inst., will be subject to rent. 20th of Deo., will be subject to rent. Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the where they will be examined on the 20th 19th inst., at 9.30. a.m.

of Dec., at 9.80 A.M. All claims must reach us before the by us in any cass whatever. 27th of Dec., 1912, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance will be effected,

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned. This Steamer brings cargo Ex S.S. 'Orscolo" and "Barbarigo" from Venice via Port Baid. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD

MELCHERS & CO.. General Agents, Hougheng, 18th Dec., 1919,

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Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 17th of Dec., at 9.80 s.m. All claims must reach us before the [985 24th of December, 1912, or they will

not be recognized. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, MELCHERS & CO., General Agents.

Hongkong, 10th Dec., 1912

FROM EUROPE.

THE H. A. L. Steamship

"SAMBIA."

Captain F. Buch, having arrived. Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed. that their goods, are being landed and placed at their risk in the hazardous and/or extra-hazardous Godowns of the Godown Company, Limited, whence

All claims must be presented within 10

unless intimation is received from the days of the steamer's arrival here, after No claims will be admitted after the No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the

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"Kong Ring" from Chris-

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE Hongking, 18th Dec., 1912. [941

### COMMERCIAL.

Mine Outputs

The output of the Rahman Tin Co. during November was 888 piculs. The output of tin from Heawood estate for November was 397 piculs of which 189 piculs were mined by the company and 208 piculs by tributors The estimated gross receipts, in cluding tribute, "are \$15,590, and the mining costs \$3,300, leaving an estimated profit of \$12,230. The November output of the Tronoh Mines, Limited, is: From mine piculs 3,919, from tributers piculs 294.19, total picula 4,213.19. Value: from mine \$276,054.67, from tributers ore \$17,922.16, total \$293,976. Estimated profit: from mine after payment of all charge, development, capital expenditure, etc., \$150,054, from tributers \$1,018.39, total \$151,072.39. Production to November 30, piculs.

Singapore Exchange: December 5, 1912. On London—Bank 4 m/s 2/4.13-32 Demand — 2/4-1-8 Private 6 m/s 2/4.7-8 3 m/s 2/4.9-16On Gormany—Bank d/d 238.1-2 Private 3 m/s 242.1-2 On France—Bank d/d 294 Private 3 m/s 299. On India—Bank T.T. -174.1-8Private 30 d/s . 175.5-8 On Hongkong-Bankd/d 10.3-4 Private 33 d/s 11.3-4 On Shanghai-Bank d/d Private 33 d/s 81.1-2 On Java-Bank T.T. 140.1-3 Privato 30 d/s 142.1-2 On Japan—Bank d/d 113.3-4 Sovereigns—buying rate \$8.54 India Council Bills last ... 1/4.1-16 India Council T.T. last. ... 1/4.3-32 Discount - 3ms. Bank of England discount - 5 p.c.

Bar silver in London November Rubber Returns. Pahang.—6,591"lbs. Batu Rata.—8,577 lbs. Bakoh.—2,300 lbs. Bradwall.-12,606 lbs. Chimpul.—2,075 lbs. Batang Malaka 5,263 lbs. Balgownio.—13,950 lbs. Chersonese.—27,622 lbs. Donnistown.-17,405 lbs. Highlands and Lowlands. 83,985 lbs.

Sungei Liang.-2,930 lbs. Riverside.—17,070 lbs. Strathmore.—3,520 lbs. Sun Manggis.—2,730 lbs. Klabang.—5,834 lbs. Sungei Krian. -7,773 lbs. Sungei Way. -29,576 lbs Ayer Kuning (F.M.S.)-7,331

Krian Rubber Plantations. Anglo Malay. -100,290 lbs. Pataling.—36,258 lbs. London Asiatic. —74,864 lbs. Bikam.—12,124 lbs. Ribu —16 382 lbs.

Selanger Rubber Co. -43,249 not be recognized. Sungoi Kruit.—10,861 lbs.

Perak Rubber Plantations.-25,410 lbs. Broome. - 8,356 lbs. Merlimau.—19,000 lbs.

Kelemak.—2,200 lbs., making | Hougkong, 16th Drc., 1912. a total for the six months of the current financial year of 8.791 Estate of Krian.—15,345 lbs.,

total to date, 119,145 lbs New Columbia, -7,762 lbs., total for first 11 months of the year 64,875 lbs. Nyalas -2,550 lbs., making a FROM SAN FRANCISCO, via

total for the six months of the HONOLULU, JAPAN PORTS 10.80 s.m. to 11.00 s.m. ., 10 min current financial year of 11,600]

commencing Merch 31, rubber for countersignature, and to take im-13,944 lbs., coconuts 508,159 mediate delivery of cargo from along-Linggi.—111,674 lbs., total to

date 11 months 989,429 lbs; surplus to end of September, 25,554

Labu (F.M.S.). - 33 585 lbs., total to date 11 months 320,888

lbs., total to date 8 months 68,442 | Undown, and all Goods remaining Cheviot.—12,222 lbs., total to

date 11 months 95,117 lbs. Nordanal.-37,991 Ibs., total to date 359,140 lbs.; corresponding period last year 220,186 lbs. Singapore United .-- Four monthe. to October 31, 50,004 lbs., 83th inst. otherwise they will not be IT WILL HELP TO SAVE-LIEB. November 15,000 lbs., (estimated, | recognised. to date 65,094 lbs:, to same date last year 29,428 lbs., increase 35,666 lbg.

Japan's Match Trade.

The total export of matches from Oanka and Kobe for November amounted to 14,008 and 46,536 cases respectively, bringing up the total shipments from the two ports this year to over 638,300 cases showing an increase of over 113,300 cases on the figures for the corresponding period of last year. The big expert of phosphorus matches from Osaka last month, which exceeded 14,000 cases—and unprecodented figure—is attributed to the large increase in demand at different places in China just before the freezing-up of the North China ports.

Singapore Produce. December 5, 1912. ... \$7.60 Gambier do (Cube No. 1) unpicked 13.70 Copra Sundried do White 5 per cent Sago Flour Sarawak do Brunei No. 1 Pearl Sago Coffee Bali Coffee Palembang 10 per cent. basis Tapioca, small flake do small pearl do med pearl

Opium, China Rice, Rangoon White Rico, Siam No. 1 do No. 2 ... Petroloum. Devoo's Imp. Brilliant Oil

Sylvan Arrow Oil (2 tins) fish Brand (2 tins in case at 3.15 at 3.15 LampGlass / 2 tins in case at 3.15 (superfine) \2 tins 2 tins in case at 3.05

Brand Bulk Oil per drum of 4. (2 tins) at 2.75 Cross Oil. l'urpene por tin 4 gallons at 2.80

### Consignees

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS, LTD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM EUROPE HE Steamship.

· PEMBROKESHIRE." having arrived from the above ports, Consiguees of cargo by her are hereby informed that all goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or atra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kawloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence, and/or from the wazrees, delivery may be ob-

Goods not cleared by the 28rd Dec., nt 6 r.m will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged packages are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined on 23rd inst., at 9.80 A.M. Claims against the steamer, must be presented within 10 days of acrival, otherwise they will

No Fire Lasurance will be effected by us in any case whatever. Bills of Lading will be countersigned

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inst., afternoon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. All clinfed and otherwise damaged Cargo to be left on board or Godown and examination of same to be held on facing strayation.

All claims must be filed on or before

Honglong, 16th Dec. 1912.

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8.00 a.m. to 10.00 a.m. .. 10.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. 11.30 s.m. to 12.45 p.m. 15 min. 12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. 16 min. 1,45 p.m. to 2,15 p.m. ,, 10 min. 2.15 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. ... 15 mip. 5.00 p.m. to 8.10 p.m. , 10 mis. NIGHT OARS. 8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m., 9.45 p.m. to 11.80 p.m. every 15 minutes.

SUNDAYS. 7.80 a.m. 8.00 s.m. to 10.80 s.m. every 15 min 11.45 a.m. to 12.00 noon ,, 15 min. 12.00 noon to 1.00 p.m. ., 10 min. 1.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. ,, 15 min. 5.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. ., 10 min 6.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m. , 15 min 7.00 p.m. to 8.10 p.m. ., 10 min NIGHT CARS as on Week Days.

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TAKEO TAKAMICHI, Manager. Hongkong, 1st April, 1912.

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tion Sale, to be held on Monday, the 23rd day of December, 1912, at 8 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land below Kennedy Road, in the Colony of Hongkung, for a term of Berlin 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Hamburg Hankow Kobe, Orown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor | Peking Singapore Tientsin of His Majesty the King, for one for ther term of 75 years.

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Stocks & DAID OF VALUE. CLOSING LAST DV DEND AND DATE £2.0.0 at  $0 \times 2/-1/16$  equal to \$19.95 for 1/2 year Hongkong & S'hai \$125 onding 30'6'12" MARINE INSURANCES, A **\$18** for 1911 Interim of 10/- for 1911 Г133 Ъ. Final of \$20 making \$50 for 1900 and Interim of \$30 for 1911 \$12 for 1909 and Int. of Yangtzes \$3 on account of 1910 FIRE INSURANCES. \$7 & h's of \$2 for 1910 China Fires \$27 for 1910 Hongkong Fires China & Manilas. \$25

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Douglas Steamship \$50

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"Shell" Transports £1

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6 for 1191 Tls. 6 29'2'10 \$3 on old shares, \$1.50 on new shares for half year 30'6'12 Int. div. of \$31/2 for 1912

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80 cents on fully paid shares and 8 cents on \ \$1 paid shares for year onding 30'4'12.

None \$1.50 for 1910

First year

No dividend this year 50 cts. for year end'g 30'5'1

20 per cent. per ordinary share for year ended 75 cents per share for l

year ending 31'12'1911 f 10 per cent. for year)

ending 31.7.10 40 cents for 1911.

Corrected to 12 30 stm. December 17 1918 by WRIGHT AND HORNBY, Bhare and General Brokers 6, Des Voeux Road Central, Tel adress Rectitude, The Tolegraph " does not held itself responsible for any of the shove quotational

#### BOXING.

Cordell's Straightforward reply to Kerrison

A representative of the "Telegraph" had a chat which Jack Cordell yesterday evening in the course of which Cordell said he issued an open invitation to the Army and Navy in Hongkong to put up the best man they had a his weight and he would feel favoured, by being given an op- beauty, on the part of artists. portunity to meet him. He was greatly impressed by the kindness shown to him by the sportsmen of Hongkong on Saturday engineering, after being the evening, and said that he was greatest attraction of an internaconvinced more than ever that tional exhibition, is now used for the Britisher appreciated a clever a number of practical purposes, paid little heed to nationality. observatory and as a wireless At first he felt a little nervous as telegraph station. but he was now satisfied that no for the construction of what may had before the 28th inst. matter where he went he could be termed a "super-Eissel tower," The Amazone with the not find a more generous set of sportsmen than those assembled metres high, to be erected in con-

at the ringside on Saturday, Kerrison desired to have another encounter with him Cordell said that he was willing to meet Kerrison at any time and place he thought fit for a side of \$500. If Kerrison is prepared to accept The basis of the tower crossing that he has only to leave his deposit at the office of the "Hongkong Telegraph" and Cordell will cover it. Jack Cordell is prepared to have the articles of the match drawn up in the office of this paper, and have everything openings, the frames of which, sirnight and aboveboard so that as in the case of the present Rhine n, one will be able to say that either himself or his opponent was guilty of anything that was not straightforward. "I have a ly identical with those of the old lot to lose," said Cordell, "and at bridge. Apart from the greater Fort, Bayard, Haiphong, Pakhoi the moment I will have to be pitch of the arches, the main! careful what I am doing as my finger is very bad in consequence of catching the bone of Yore's left jaw in the knock-out on Surday. I came here to fight this part of the structure, as well straight fights, and I intend to fight straight, win or lose, and leave the Colony with the clean record with which I came."

A reply from Kerrison is await ed with interest. Mr Hall Explains

With reference to a statement mide by Private Potter. "Nobby" Hall writes to the "Telegraph" stating that it did not come as a surprise to h that Potter would not meet Hayes though he thinks the least that the former might have done was to send him a communication to the effect that he declined to meet Hayos, so that he (Mr. Hall) could have changed his posters. Mi Hall thinks that when Potter signed an agreement to fight Hayes and then "backed out of itwith a half-hearted excuse like he made" it does not reflect much credit on a man who belongs to such a good sporting regiment as the K.O.Y.L.I. Mr. Hall states that he held the belief that Potter had always a good name in boxing circles for straightforward work, but he cannot see how this affair will do him any good and he thinks that in the interest of sport it is up to him to inform the public, and any promoters that there might he in Singapore, of what has o. curred.

Mr. Hall adds that he is quite surprised at the way Sky Kerri son turned him down considering that it was only a few weeks ago that he (Mr. Hall) received from Kerrison, an interesting letter asking him to go on board his ship and talk business. As Kerri son had many offers from various promoters, Mr. Hall declined to have anything to do with him Sky had been matched, he states against so many people this month, that he found it difficult to say who he would actually it winding stairs would lead up Sandakan—Per Mausang, 21st the summit of the tower. meet. If, however, Kerrison is agreeable, the man Mr. Hall spoke of is willing to meet him at any suitable place for a purse; the purse to be devoted to any local charity; failing this, he is willing the nine months ending Septemto fight Kerrison for pastime.

Canadian Pacific Dividend. from other extraneous assets. The edge on the subject of life insurdividend is payable on January 2. ance.

#### "SUPER-EIFFEL" TOWER.

Dusseldori Engineer's Remarkable Design.

When M. Eiffel, twenty-five years ago, first suggested the idea of his grandiose tower, 300 metres in height, the scheme met with much incredulity on the part of engineers and with an open protest, in the name of is also known, says an exchange, that this tower, so far from merely serving asa monument of modern man in any branch of sport and as a belvedere, a meteorological

an enormous iron structure, 500 nection with a new Rhine bridge Dealing with a statement that in his native city. Apart from this economic value, the "Rhine tower" would serve the same scientific purposes as its French predecessor and the future may even suggest new applications. the Rhine would be found by an arch bridge having two openings, each 195 metres span, with main girders 16 motres apart. To the main river openings would be connected the smaller high-water bridge, would be situated below to arrive here on Sunday the 22nd the runway. In fact, the outlines | inst., with the American Mail ox. of the bridge would be practical- Nile. difference would be the design with which the usual diagonals in the various panels are missing.

as the tower itself, being design-

ed on the Vierendeel system.

It is proposed that, in the direcrest on two pillars, 195 metres apart, corresponding with the central pillar of the bridge. The tower pillars would rise in a mighty are connected in the abutments by a tie, to a height of 95 metres, from which the tower proper would shoot up symmetri- Samarang - Per Childar, 19th Machew, for Singapore. cally in both axes. The tie above. referred to, crossing the abut- Shanghai and North China-Per Nnda, for Singapore. ments of the bridge on the central pillar, would be suspended from Japan via Yokohama-Per Upada, Haiching, for Foochow the tower portal (main gate), as in the case of the runway of the Swatow, Amoy and Foochowbridge. Transversally to the direction of the river, the tower Straits and India via Calcutta- Frithjof, for Pangkok. would rest by means of two buttresses on the main girders of the bridge. From the juncture Philippine Islands. Australia Tango-maru, for London. of the four parts of the understructure, the tower is designed to taper gradually towards a platform situated at 450 m. height, becoming somewhat more pointed as it approaches the platform, the head, as it were, of the structure. From this platform the point proper would rise on a base of 25 m, sq., reaching a height of 500 m. from the upper edge of the bridge runway. The walls up to the platform would be subdivided by a central rib, so that each panel would consist of two substantial frames of about 20 m. maximum height. Two elevators (lifts) of about 5 x 2.5 m. ground area would lead to the platform, these elevators being reached from two staircases situated above the central bridge portal by a platform. Above this platform would rise a spacious framework structure, containing restaurant accommodation and the machinery for Philippines Islands—Per Yuendriving the elevators, and from

Life Insurance in Japan.

The remarkable progress of life insurance business in Japan is Haiphong, Pakhoi and Saigonattested by the fact that during ber last, the new policies issued by the eighteen existing com-Montreal, November 11.—At a panies amounted to 140,295,872 Swatow, Amoy and Foochow meeting of the directors of the yen and the policies cancelled Canadian Pecific Railway Com- amounted to 48,829,738 yen, pany held here to-day a dividend showing a net increase of 91,446,- Haiphong and Pakhoi-Per Sinof 24 per cent. was declared on 134 yen or an average of over ten the Common stock for the quarter million yen per month. This is Straits, India via Calcutta—Per wed. ended September 30 last, being ascribable, says the Niroku, primat the rate of 7 per cent. per arily to the increase of the insurannum from revenue and 3 per ance companies and their keen cent. per annum from interest on competition, but at the same time the proceeds of land sales and to the general diffusion of knowl-

#### POST OFFICE.

MAILS ARRIVED TO-DAY. Japan, s.s. Kumano-maru.

Shanghai, s.s. Kwangtah. Manila, s.s. Yuensang.

MAILS VIA SIBERIA. Left London Shanghai Dec. 24 Nov. 29

Nov. 30 MAILS DUE.

Siberian, Anhui, 18th inst. English, Delta, 20th inst. American, Awa-maru, 22nd

English Mail Pelta, due here on Friday next, will not be ready for delivery to the Public until 11 a.m. on Saturday the 21st inst.

There will be no despatch of the French Mail to Europe via Suez to-day, as the s.s. Ernest Simon to how he would be received, be- A Dusseldorf engineer, named has been delayed and is not ex- Hangsang, Br. s.s., 1,356, Wilde, ing a stranger and an American, Czech, has now designed plans pected to arrive here from Shang-

> French Mail leaves Saigon on Chowtai, Br. s.s., 1,116, Leher, Sunday the 15th instant at 5.30 a.m. and may be expected to arinstant at daylight.

> The Anhui as expected to arrive here on Wednesday the 18th inst. | Chihli, Br. s.s., 1.143, McGarity, with the London Mail (via Siberia) of Wednesday the 27th ult.

The Delta with the English Tango Mail left Singapore on Saturday the 14th inst. at 6 p.m. and may be expected to arrive here on Friday the 20th inst. at 6 a.m. Suisang, Br. s.s., 1,760, Payne, This packet brings the Parcel Mails closed in London for des-13th November and for despatch overland on the 20th November.

The Awa Maru is expected Opland,

#### MAILS CLOSE.

and Saigon-Per Sikiang, 18th Dec., 8 a.m. of the arch pillars, in connection | Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-Per Kaijo-maru, 18th Dec.,

Straits and India via Calcutta--Per Yatshing, 18th

Dec., 11 a.m. Japan via Nagasaki—Per Yawata Maru, 18th Dec., 11 a.m. tion of the river the tower should Swatow, Shanghai and North China-Per Kiukiang, 18th Dec., 11 a.m.

Shanghai, North China, and Japan via Kobe -B Z - (Europe via Siberia) - Per Amazine, 18th Dec., 4

Pec., 11 a.m.

19th Dec., 3 p.m. Per Haitan, 19th Dec., Landrat Schieff, for Swatow. 5 p.m.

Per Yatshing, 20th Pec., Rubi, for Cebu-11 a.m. 😘

Tasmania and New Zea- Fausang, for Java. land via Thursday Is- Haldis, for Pangkoklands-Per Kumano- Taming, for Iloilo maru. 20th Dec., 11 a.m. Kwangtah, for Canton. Shanghai, & North China (Europe via Siberia) ~ Per Delta 20th 5 p.m.

Adelaide, Western Australia, India, Aden, Egypt, and Europe via. Brindisi. (Late Letters 11 a.m. to noon, Extra Hangsang, for Canton, Postage 10 cents.) (Sup- Tungwah, for Canton, plementary mail on board | Ervicken, for Canton. (Extra Postage 10 cents) Loksang, for Canton. (Letters posted in all the Chinhua, for Canton, Pillar Boxes in time for be included in this contract mail.) The Parcel Mail will be closed on Friday, the 20th Dec., at p.m.—Per Himalaya, 21st Dec., 11 a.m.

sang, 21st Dec., 1 p.m. Dec., 3 p.m. Shanghai and North China-Per

Liangehow, 21st Dec., 5 Britjoi, 101 Siam,

Per Sungkiang, 22nd Dec., 9 a.m. Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-Per Haiyang 23rd Dec.,

Per Haiyang, 23rd Pec., gan, 24th Dec., 9 a.m. Namsang, 24th Dec., 1

Straits, Burmah, Ceylon, Adelaide, Western Australia, India, Aden, Egypt, and Europe via Mon. 102 m 9 Naples.—Per Lutzow, 24th Dec., 6 p.m.

### SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVED. wood, 15th Dec.-Chinwangtao 9th Dec., Coal.

—J., M. & Co. Tungwah, Chi. s.s., 946, Froggatt, 15th Dec.-Tientsin 9th

Young, 15th Dec.—Balik slightly over Formosa, the Philip-Papan 8th Dec., Bulk oil. pines and Annam

Triumph, Gor. s.s., 869 Langdschwager, 15th Pec. Haiphong and Hoihow 14th Dec., Rice.—T & Co. The parcels by the incoming Pembrokeshire, Br. s.s., 2,999

> M. & Co. Yawata Maru, Jap. s.s.. 2,566, Sekine, 16th l'ec.— Manila 14th Dec., Copper, etc.-N. Y. K.

16th Dec.-Shanghai and Swatow 15th Dec., Gen. —J., M & Co.

16th Dec.—Bangkok 4th Dec., Rice etc.—B. & S. rive here on Wednesday the 18th Loksang, Br. s.s., 948, Powker, 16th Dec.—Shanghai 12th Dec., Gen.-J., M. & Co. 2 Formosa Channel

> 16th Dec.—Wuhu 10th Dec., Rice.—B. & S. Maru, Jap. s.s., 4,627 Kawara, 16th Dec. Shanghai 13th Dec., Gen. -N. Y. K.

16th Dec.—Java 5th Dec. Sugar, - J., M. & Co. patch by the all sea route on the Kwangtah, Br. s.s., Ch. Stewart 16th Dec.—Shanghai 13th

Dec., Gen. - O. M.S. N. Co Br. s.s., 749. Ericksen, 16th Dec.—Foochow 14th Pec., Case oil.—A. P.

Yuensang, Br. s.s., 1,158, Rolfe, 17th Dec.-Manila 14th Dec., Gen.—J., M. & Co. Yushun, Chi. s.s., 1,975, E. R. Pratt, 17th Dec.—Canton 16th Dec., Gen.-C. M.

Kumano Maru, Jap. s.s., 5,076, Wincker, 17th Dec.-Yokohama 7th Dec., Gen. -N. Y. K.

Vladimir, Rus. s.s., 3,197, Kamichamsky, 17th Dec.—Odessa Chefoo Gen.-Lukmanoff. Feiching, Pr. s.s., 960, Crawford, 17th Dec.—Chefoo 11th

Dec., Gen.—C. M.S N.Co. CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Dec. 16.

Kwongchauwan for K. C. Wan. Chinhua, 19th Dec., 3 p.m. | Tjipanas, for Yokohama-Manchuria, for San Francisco Dec 17.

Hongkong, for Haiphong.

Sabine Rickmers, for Swatow. Lovat, for Yokohama-Kaijo-maru, for Foochow Kwongsang, for Shanghai. Waishing for Canton.

#### DEPARTED. Dec. 17.

Straits, Burmah, Ceylon, Feiching, for Canton, Neisshu-maru, for Kobo

Chihli, for Canton, up to the time fixed for Sabine Rickmers, for Canton. departure of the mail Uhangchow, for Canton. Liberia for Tamburg. the first clearance will Manchuria for Ban Francisco. Lovat, for Japan. Haiching, for Swatew. Mexican Prince, for Shanghai. Toonan, for Shanghai. Lienshing, for Shanghai. Taming, for Philippine Island. Rubi, for Chilippine Istands, Machew, for Holhow. Tipanas, for Kobe. Dongkong, for Haiphong. Kwongsang, for Shanghai. Fritjof, for Siam. PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

Per s.s. Kwangtah, arrived 16th inst., from Shanghai: Knowles, H.

m morning a afternoon.

TIDE TABLE. Humidity Dec. 17th to 23rd Dec., 1912.  $\mathbf{Wind}...$ High Water Direction 5 Force: Weather

### WEATHER REPORT.

On the 17th at 12.20.—Pressure Waishing, Br. s.s., 1,170, Holm- has increased considerably over Japan, and moderately from Weihai-wei, to Wladivostock,

The anticyclone is now central over Korea and S. ". Japan. Pressure has decreased mo-Dec., Gen.-C. M. S. N. derately over central China and along the coast from Shanghai to Mexican Prince, Br. s.s., 1,953, Haiphong. It has decreased

> Variable winds and squally weather may be expected along SHANGHAI ..... the E. coast of China, and over the northern portion of the N.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 Barrett, 16th Dec.-Lon- hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, don 29th Oct., Gen.-J., 0.03 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON. TO-MORROW.

District. Forecast. N.E. or variable winds 1 Hongkong & Neigh- > moderate, squally; overcast, drizzling rain or

N. winds, strong. 3 South coast of China between H.K. The same as No. 1. and Lamocks 4 South coast of China between H.K. > The same as No. 1. and Hainan.

China Coast Meteorological Register.

17th December, a.m.							
Station.	Hour.	Barometer.	Temperature	Humidity.	D'tion.	Force. on	Weather.
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.. 30.07 — — 0 — Taichu .. 30.07— n 6 — Tainan ., 30.04 — no 8 — Koshun . 30.06—— n 6— 9n30.0864 89 ene 2 or Canton 6a30.036285 e 3 o H'kong V. Peak 7a — — e .5 — Gap Rock 6a30.01 — — ene 4 o 30.0362 — ene 1 crf 9a30.0961 - n 1 c Wuchow

Hoihow Pakhoi 6a29.9768 — sse 4dh ., 29.9770 — s 2 c Tourane. ... 29.9175 — ene 2 c " 29.98—— se 1 b Aparri 29.95— — O c ., 29.93 — nne 1 b Legaspi 9a - nw 1cBacolod

.. 29.8983 — — — Labuan T. F. Claxton, Director. Hongkong, Observatory, Dec. 17. Cuisine. 1 Barometer, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit on the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths.

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2 Temperature, in the shade, in degrees Fahrenheit. 3 Humidity, in percentage of saturation, the Humidity of air

saturated with moisture being 100. 4 Direction of Wind, to two points. 5 Force of Wind, according to 29 Beaufort Scale.

 6 State of Weather, b blue sky. f fog, g gloomy, h hail, l lightning, o overcast, p passing showers, q squally, r rain, s snow, t, thunder, v visibility, w dew 0 Rain in inches, tenths and

hundredths.

### METEOROLOGICAL.

Previous Day On Date On Date 6 a.m. 30.07 Barometer 30.10 30.13 Temperature 68 Rain

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